

Annual Reports
of the
Town of Goffstown
New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
December 31, 1948

Annual Reports
OF THE
**Selectmen, Treasurer and
Town Clerk**
OF THE
Town of Goffstown
FOR THE
Year Ending December 31, 1948
WITH THE
Report of the Fire Precinct
AND
Report of the School Board

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

ALFRED W. POORE

Town Clerk

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS

Town Treasurer

LOUIS R. GREGG

Selectmen

WILFRID E. PERRAULT

GEORGE A. CARR

JAMES M. GEORGE

Tax Collector

WILLIAM SYM

Road Agent

HORACE L. SHIRLEY

Supervisors

ROBERT M. GORDON

BENJAMIN F. GREER

FRANK W. BARTLETT

Health Officer

ROBERT M. GORDON

Police Department

JOHN L. PUTNAM, *Chief*

Trustees of Trust Funds

CARL B. PATTEE

FRANK A. PARKER

WILLIAM R. EATON

Auditors

BENJAMIN F. GREER

HARRY F. COLBURN

FRANK W. BARTLETT

Surveyors of Lumber and Cordors of Wood

BENJAMIN F. GREER

LAWRENCE W. SHIRLEY

GERALD UPTON

ROBERT McDOUGAL

ARTHUR J. GRANT

Fence Viewers

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Trustees of Library

HARRY F. COLBURN, Chairman

MARGARET SMITH

RUTH B. LUSCOMBE

RAYMOND C. GREER

CHARLES P. PAIGE

MARTHA B. DODGE

Trustees of Cemetery

FRANK A. PARKER

WALTER MILES

MARSHALL FRENCH

LOUIS R. GREGG

JAMES M. GEORGE

Trustees of Barnard Playground

ROBERT L. STARK

EARL GREENWOOD

NORTON R. PHELPS

ALFRED W. POORE, JR.

GEORGE GUNN

Fire Wardens

EARL CORNING

CARL B. PATTEE, Clerk

GORDON P. HART

ARMOND FLORAND

H. CLIFTON DYKE

THERON J. MORGRAGE, Chief of Fire Dept.

Representatives to General Court

REV. AUSTIN H. REED

NATHAN A. TIRRELL

A. KENNETH HAMELTON

Forest Fire Warden

THERON J. MORGRAGE, Chief

School Board

WILLIAM R. EATON, Chairman

RUTH B. LUSCOMBE, Clerk

ALBERT J. LAMOTHE

REPORT OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Goffstown, N. H.—March 9, 1948

Meeting opened at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon by Moderator, Alfred W. Poore, Article One of Warrant read and check-list posted.

On motion of Robert M. Gordon it was voted that polls be now opened for voting, that balance of Warrant be read and articles 2 to 37 be acted upon at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, that the polls close at 6:00 o'clock and that our next Annual Town Meeting open at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Polls now open for voting.

1:30 P. M. Voted to dispense with reading of Warrant.

The following Officers were elected in open meeting.

Cemetery Trustee

For 3 Years

Marshall French

Surveyors of Lumber and Corders of Wood

Benj. F. Greer

Lawrence Shirley

Gerald Upton

Robert McDougall

Arthur J. Grant.

Fence Viewers

Board of Selectmen

Auditors

Benj. F. Greer

Harry F. Colburn

Frank W. Bartlett

Fire Wardens

For 3 Years

H. Clifton Dyke

Budget Committee

For 3 Years

Frank W. Bartlett, Odelion Denoncourt, George Jenkins,
Leland Stanyon, Rosalind Crafts

ARTICLE 2. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars for the Goffstown Public Library.

ARTICLE 3-4. Voted to combine articles 3 and 4 together and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars for the Maintenance and improvement in our Cemeteries and plans and prints.

ARTICLE 5. Voted to hold this article over for the 1949 Town Meeting regarding removing or painting the iron fence at Westlawn Cemetery.

ARTICLE 6. Voted to dismiss this article calling for an appropriation for White Pine Blister Rust.

ARTICLE 7. Voted to allow the Selectmen to borrow at times as needed such sums of money in anticipation of taxes not to exceed at any time the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars.

ARTICLE 8. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through the Tax Collector's deeds or by gifts.

ARTICLE 9. Voted to accept State Aid for improvement of class five roads and to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Fifty Six and $72/100$ (\$1256.72) Dollars, the State to contribute Five thousand Twenty-six and $87/100$ (\$5026.87) Dollars.

ARTICLE 10. Voted to dismiss this article calling for an appropriation for eradication of Poison Ivy.

ARTICLE 11. Voted to dismiss this article regarding the old road known as East Goffstown Road.

ARTICLE 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for the Merrimack Valley Region Association.

ARTICLE 13. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars for the care of the commons, and the further sum of Thirteen Hundred (\$1300.00) Dollars, the playground Trustee being instructed to spend the sum of Eleven Hundred (\$1100.00) Dollars, as soon as weather permits for the construction of a hard surface tennis court and to recondition the court now in use, and to spend the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for the care and upkeep of the Baseball Diamond and other parts of the playground, with the further provision that any funds now on hand or coming into the Treasury of the Trustees during the current year shall be used for construction of a swimming pool after the plans shall have been approved by the Trustees and the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 14. Voted to raise the Town Clerk's base salary (\$200.00) Two Hundred Dollars and the Treasurer's salary One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.

ARTICLE 15-16-17-18. Voted to combine these articles regarding Street Lighting, giving the Selectmen charge of installing same.

ARTICLE 19. Voted to dismiss this article calling for an appropriation for Band Concerts.

ARTICLE 20. Motion made to authorize the Selectmen to complete and furnish the Town Hall, paper ballots were called for on this motion. Vote as follows, 142 yes, 207 no.

ARTICLE 21. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars to pay off the last Bridge Note.

ARTICLE 22. Voted to allow the Selectmen to assess One Quarter of One Per Cent ($\frac{1}{4}$ of 1%) of the valuation of the Town, to be used towards payments of the debts of the Town Building.

ARTICLE 23 and 27. Voted to combine articles 23 and 27 and raise and appropriate Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars for same, (Sewers).

ARTICLES 24-25-26-33. Voted to combine articles 24-25-26-33 and raise and appropriate Four Thousand (\$4,000.00) Dollars to be used at the discretion of the Selectmen for same. (New Streets)

ARTICLE 28. Voted to raise and appropriate Twenty Five Hundred (\$2500.00) Dollars for improvement of Uncanoonuc Mountain Road, WMUR and WFEA Stations to contribute an equal amount.

ARTICLE 29. Voted to layout and accept Lynchville Park Road from Mast Road to land of Paul Harvey about one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile.

ARTICLE 30. Voted that a committee of three (3) be appointed to consist of Wilfrid E. Perrault for the Selectmen and Myron Paige and Lorenzo Pinard to investigate the feasibility of providing water to Grasmere Village, to adopt a plan and draft an appropriate article for the same, to be acted upon at a special meeting to be called by the Selectmen at the request of the Committee.

ARTICLE 31. Voted to place this article, regarding gift of Willie Richards, Estate for a Historical Building, on the table until 1949 Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 32. Voted to accept a gift, by deed, of a piece of land from Grover Peaslee, for a right of way leading off South Mast Street.

ARTICLE 34. Voted to accept this article, at discretion of the Selectmen, regarding street light.

ARTICLE 35. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty Two Thousand, Three Hundred Sixty Nine and 22/100 (\$122,369.22) Dollars for the support of the poor, construction and maintenance of highways and bridges, and all other necessary Town Expenses for the ensuing year including the amount for Memorial Day.

ARTICLE 36. Voted to accept the printed Town Reports.

A vote of thanks was given to the Selectmen for their splendid Services during the past year.

There being no other business, polls were again opened for voting.

Total number of names on check list	2390
Total number of Ballots Cast	602
Total number of Republican Ballots Cast	441
Total number of Democrat	77

*Republicans**Democrats**Town Clerk*

Elizabeth Hutchins	425	Elizabeth Hutchins	75
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Town Treasurer -

Louis R. Gregg	414	Louis R. Gregg	74
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Selectman for 3 Years

James M. George	418	James M. George	74
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Road Agent

Horace L. Shirley	418	Horace L. Shirley	70
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Library Trustees for 3 Years

Martha B. Dodge	412	Martha B. Dodge	72
Harry F. Colburn	410	Harry F. Colburn	71

Trustees of Trust Funds for 3 Years

William R. Eaton	411	William R. Eaton	70
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Delegates to the Constitutional Convention

R. Robert Matheson	377
Austin H. Reed	332
N. Arthur Tirrell	344

Those having a majority of ballots cast were declared elected by Moderator.

James M. George, Selectman, Elizabeth Hutchins, Town Clerk, and Selectmen as Fence Viewers took an oath in open meeting.

The following Resolution was voted:

Be it Resolved; That the voters of Goffstown in Town Meeting assembled do hereby express their deepest thanks to the Parker family for their gift of clock for the Town Hall Tower when the Hall is finished and that the Town Clerk be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to William F. Parker.

No other business, it was voted to adjourn at 2:40 A.M. March 10th, 1948.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

A True record—Elizabeth Hutchins, Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Goffstown, N. H.—June 12th, 1948

Meeting opened at 2:15 P.M. in the afternoon by Moderator Alfred W. Poore.

Meeting was held by authority of the Selectmen and conducted in the same manner as a regular Town Meeting.

Warrant was read by the Town Clerk and meeting was opened for business.

Report of the Committee was given by Myron Paige regarding the setting up of a Water System for Grasmere Village.

Report and recommendation of the Budget Committee was given by Frank W. Bartlett.

ARTICLE 1. Moved by Elizabeth Ackerman that this article be accepted and the Town be authorized to borrow by issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes, in accordance with Chapter 72 of the New Hampshire Revised Laws, the sum of Forty-five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000.00) for the purpose of establishing a Water Distribution system for supplying water to the inhabitants of that part of the Town known as Grasmere and that the Selectmen be authorized to determine the time and place of payment and the rate of interest on such bonds and notes in accordance with law.

Vote by ballot called for.

Result of the ballot was as follows:

Yes votes—102

No votes—51

ARTICLE 2. Moved by Barbara Swett that the Town appropriate Forty-five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000.00) for the purpose of establishing a water distribution system for supplying water to the inhabitants of that part of the Town known as Grasmere, to be constructed under the direction of the Selectmen and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any and all contracts and take such action as is necessary for the acceptance of that purpose.

Voted by ballot. Result of ballot was as follows:

Yes votes—95

No votes—53

ARTICLE 3. Voted to accept favorably this article giving the Selectmen the right to fix the boundaries of a District to be known as Grasmere Water District in accordance with Chapter 70 of the New Hampshire Revised Laws, for the purpose of maintenance, operation, and administration of the Water distribution system when established and constructed by the Town.

Voted to extend a vote of thanks to the Committee and to Mr. William Tribble for their work.

Voted to adjourn at 4:35 P.M.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

A True Record—Elizabeth Hutchins, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Goffstown, in the County of Hillsborough and in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in Goffstown Village on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Polls for voting to open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and close at six o'clock in the afternoon.

First—To choose all Town Officers and Agents for the ensuing year, including a member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

Second—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Goffstown Public Library.

Third—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance and improvement in our cemeteries.

Fourth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred (\$700.00) Dollars to paint Westlawn Cemetery fence, (a gift of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) has been given by the Unity Club, providing the Town does paint said fence).

Fifth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred (\$400.00) Dollars for the suppression of the White Pine Blister Rust.

Sixth—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow at times as needed such sums of money in anticipation of taxes not to exceed at any time the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars.

Seventh—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town through the Tax Collector's Deed or by gift.

Eighth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the improvement and maintenance of Barnard Playground and care of commons.

Ninth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for the Merrimack Valley Region Association.

Tenth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used towards the eradication of Poison Ivy on public grounds and road sides.

Eleventh—To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to assess one fourth of one per cent ($\frac{1}{4}$ of 1%) of the valuation of the Town, to retire the note of the Town Hall Building.

Twelfth—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance and improvement of the Fire Department and any other matter relative thereto.

Thirteenth—To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for improvement of Class Five Roads and to

raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Sixty (\$1,260.01) and 01/100 Dollars, the State to contribute Five Thousand Forty and 02/100 (\$5,040.02) Dollars.

Fourteenth—To see if the Town will vote to discontinue about Two Hundred and Fifty (250—) feet of old road adjacent to the Main Road known as the East Goffstown Road.

Fifteenth—To see if the Town will approve of the inclusion of its officers and employees in the Employees Retirement System of the State of New Hampshire, which system is provided for by Chapter 27A of the Revised Laws, as inserted by Chapter 163 of the Laws of 1945 and provided by Chapter 201 of the Laws of 1945 and any subsequent amendments thereto.

Sixteenth—To see if the Town will vote to request the State Tax Commission to make a complete reappraisal of the lands and buildings within the Town, to equalize valuations in accordance with the law, and to appropriate money for this purpose.

Seventeenth—To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Eighteenth—To see if the Town will vote to have a survey made for a complete sewer system in Pinardville District, and to get exact cost of such a project. The cost of this survey (should not exceed Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars) to be paid out of the money appropriated for sewers in this district. Survey to be made before July 1st, 1949. This is inserted by petition.

Nineteenth—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to have a survey made of the whole Sewer layout for the Town of Goffstown by competent Sewer Engineers and to procure estimates of cost of same and to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00) for said survey, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Twenty—To see if the Town will vote to extend the sewer already begun on Elm Street to the top of the hill. This is inserted by Petition.

Twenty-one—To see if the Town will vote to install a sewer on West Union Street from the house of L. R. Gregg to Main Street. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-two—To see if the Town will vote to install a Street light at the corner of Brookline and Higgins Street. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-three—To see if the Town will vote to install a Street Light at the corner of Roosevelt and Edmond Street. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-four—To see if the Town will vote to extend Street Lights from Elm Street along the so-called back road to the Junction of the Paige Hill Road. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-five—To see if the Town will vote to install a light on Depot Street near the scales. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-six—To see if the Town will vote to layout and accept Duclos Street, from College Road to Eden Street. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-seven—To see if the Town will vote to layout and accept Laurel Street from College Avenue to Heald Street. This is inserted by petition.

Twenty-eight—To see if the Town will vote to layout and accept Carr's Court so-called.

Twenty-nine—To see if the Town will vote to layout and accept a road on the Goffstown Masonic Building Association land development when a house or houses are built. This is inserted by petition.

Thirty—To see if the Town will vote to layout and accept a road leading Easterly off Mill Hill road, so-called, in Grasmere Village to the house of Conrad Laverdure, a distance of about 500 feet. This is inserted by petition.

Thirty-one—To see if the Town will vote to accept a gift by deed from Morton S. and Eleanor B. Whipple of a piece of land 30 feet wide extending westerly from High Street in Goffstown to the Summer Street Extension and to layout and accept street over said land. Inserted by petition.

Thirty-two—To see if the Town will vote to discontinue a piece of the Kennedy Hill road, so-called, leading from the Richards road near the residence of Frank Guertin easterly to the Shirley Hill Road near the residence of Thomas Fullum and make the same subject to gate and bars.

Thirty-three—To see if the Town will vote to establish a sanctuary for game birds, and be it enacted by ordinance that the precinct area of the Town of Goffstown be closed to all hunting and that the Chief of Police be authorized to deputize the Officers and Directors of the said Club for the purpose of enforcing the ordinance and that the Town

shall post said precinct, the ordinance to remain in effect for two years. This is inserted by petition.

Thirty-four—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor, construction and maintenance of highways and bridges and all other necessary Town expenses for the ensuing year, including the amount for Memorial Day.

Thirty-five—To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees and pass any vote relating thereto.

Thirty-six—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this Twenty-first day of February 1949.

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.

A True Copy of Warrant. Attest:

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.

1949 BUDGET

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1948	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1948	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1949
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	6,977.57	\$7,122.89	\$7,000.00
Railroad Tax	140.00	162.80	150.00
Savings Bank Tax	900.00	1,035.81	900.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands .....	.....	70.30	.....
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Business Licenses and Permits	75.00	105.00	100.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court ..	150.00	318.74	150.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	100.00	192.50	150.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	150.00	.....	.....
Income of Departments:			
Highway .....	.....	.....	76.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,500.00	9,015.99	7,500.00
Sale of Town Property	300.00	1,320.00	500.00
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
Grasmere Water System .....	.....	45,000.00	.....
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	3,188.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	103.00
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Total Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes,	\$15,292.57	\$67,635.03	\$16,526.00

1949 BUDGET

Purposes of Expenditures	Appropriations Previous Year 1948	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1948	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1949
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$4,800.00	\$4,859.26	\$4,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,250.00	2,251.43	2,300.00
Election and Registration Expenses ...	600.00	856.81	450.00
Municipal Court Expenses	300.00	400.00	400.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,000.00	2,204.74	1,500.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	2,100.00	1,354.49	1,500.00
Fire Department	14,000.00	15,770.69	13,500.00
Health:			
Health Department, including hospitals	2,200.00	2,050.83	2,200.00
Vital Statistics	150.00	99.50	150.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance: Summer & Winter	35,000.00	34,346.12	35,000.00
Street Lighting	5,000.00	5,151.15	5,300.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	14,000.00	12,409.16	19,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,256.72	1,258.88	1,260.01
Mountain Road	2,500.00	2,500.00	500.00
Libraries	1,800.00	1,600.00	2,000.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	4,500.00	5,146.07	5,500.00
Old Age Assistance	4,200.00	4,864.76	5,200.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	75.00	75.00	75.00
Recreation:			
Repairs Grasmere Town Hall .....	.....	783.48	.....
Parks and Playgrounds, incl. band concerts	1,400.00	1,415.00	1,000.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	2,000.00	1,800.00	2,000.00

1949 BUDGET

Purposes of Expenditures	Appropriations Previous Year 1948	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1948	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1949
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
Unclassified:			
1/4 of 01% for Hall	11,275.00	9,254.42	.....
Damages and Legal Expenses	50.00	73.76	100.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	200.00	200.00	200.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	250.00	141.10	150.00
On Long Term Notes .....	.....	.....	1,500.00
Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improve.			
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Construction	4,000.00	2,915.51	4,000.00
Water Works Construction	45,000.00	22,346.56	.....
Sidewalk Construction	500.00	.....	500.00
Sewer Construction	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
New Equipment	1,000.00	2,080.00	1,000.00
Indebtedness:			
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
1/4 of 1%—Hall Note .....	.....	1,500.00	.....
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00	3,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divi- sions:			
County Taxes	23,002.50	23,002.50	25,000.00
School Taxes	75,563.00	45,806.80	82,689.00

Total Expenditures \$266,972.22 \$215,518.02 \$227,774.01

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Description of Property	No.	Valuation
Land and Buildings (Exclusive of Growing Wood and Timber) .		\$2,826,395.00
Growing Wood and Timber ...		6,700.00
Electric Plants		1,101,199.00
Horses	87	12,265.00
Oxen	2	250.00
Cows	527	68,825.00
Other Neat Stock	15	2,025.00
Sheep and Goats	50	555.00
Hogs	103	2,585.00
Fowls	38,330	52,763.00
Portable Mills	6	2,700.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		22,490.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks		4,245.00
Stock in Trade		140,714.00
Mills and Machinery		57,100.00
Total Valuation		\$4,300,811.00
(Exclusive of Soldiers' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind) Total Valuation		\$4,300,811.00
Poll Taxes, 2104 at \$2.00		4,208.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		103.00
		\$4,305,122.00
Total Amount of Taxes to be Committed to Collector including Town and Precinct Taxes, Poll Taxes and National Bank Stock Taxes		\$209,029.60

Average rate of taxation per one hundred dollars valuation for all purposes	4.76
Amount of property valuation exempted to soldiers	193,230.00
Amount of property valuation exempted to blind	1,000.00
Number of inventories sent out	1581
Number of inventories returned ...	770

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown

July 27, 1948

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

For the Tax Year 1948

Town of Goffstown in Hillsborough County

Appropriations:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$4,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,250.00
Election and Registration Expenses	600.00
Municipal Court Expenses	300.00
Town Hall and Buildings	1,000.00
Police Department	2,100.00
Fire Department	14,000.00
Health Department	2,200.00
Vital Statistics	150.00
Town Road Aid	1,256.72
Town Road Maintenance	35,000.00
Village & Pinardville Streets	4,000.00
Special Mt. Road	2,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	14,000.00
Sidewalk Construction	500.00
Sewer Construction	6,000.00
Street Lighting	5,000.00
New Equipment	1,000.00
1/4 of 1 per cent of Valuation for Hall ..	11,275.00
Libraries	1,800.00
Old Age Assistance	4,200.00
Town Poor	4,500.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Parks and Playgrounds Inc. Band Concerts	1,400.00
Cemeteries	2,000.00

Damage and Legal Expenses	50.00
Advertising and Regional Association ..	200.00
Interest	250.00
Payment on Principal of Debt	1,000.00
County Tax	23,002.50
School Tax	75,563.00

Total Town and School Appropriations \$221,972.22

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax ..	\$6,977.57
Railroad Tax	140.00
Savings Bank Tax	900.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees ..	6,500.00
Business Licenses and Permits	75.00
Fines and Forfeits—Municipal Court	150.00
Rent of Town Property	100.00
Interest Received on Taxes ..	150.00
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	300.00

Total Revenues and Credits 15,292.57

\$206,679.65

Plus Overlay 2,349.95

Net amount to be raised by Taxation ... \$209,029.60

Less:

Poll Taxes at \$2.00	\$4,208.00
National Bank Stock Taxes ..	103.00

4,311.00

Amount to be raised by property taxes
on which tax rate is to be figured \$204,718.60

Taxes to be Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$204,718.60
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	4,208.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	103.00

Total Taxes to be Committed \$209,029.60

Tax Rates:

Submitted by Town	\$4.76
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W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.

July 27, 1948

Financial Report

BALANCE SHEET

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1948

BALANCE

Town of Goffstown

Assets

Cash

In hands of treasurer \$85,203.99

Accounts Due to the Town—

Due from Sewer Entrances \$75.00

Due from Radio Co.'s 2,500.00

Due from Fill sold 225.00

Due from Gravel and Labor ... 1,681.73

4,481.73

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1947 \$324.90

Levy of 1946 45.47

370.37

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1948 21,001.44

Levy of 1947 515.00

Previous Years 332.00

21,848.44

Total Assets \$111,904.53

Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Due) .. 3,876.80

Grand Total \$115,781.33

SHEET

December 31, 1948

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations:

Library	\$200.00
Grasmere Water Fund	22,653.44
Cemetery	200.00
Goffstown Streets	723.45
Pinardville Streets	361.04
Gen. Highway	1,590.84
No. Mast St. Culvert	1,000.00
New Equipment	98.54
Sidewalk Construction	1,244.50

Due to State—Special \$3 Poll Taxes:

Uncollected—due State when collected: 1944	\$321.00	
1945	411.00	732.00

Collected—not remitted to State Treas. 1944	\$3.00	
1945	6.00	9.00

Due to School Districts:

Dog Licenses	712.32
Balance of Appropriation ...	29,756.20

 \$36,627.89

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Town Hall Building	\$11,500.00
Grasmere Water	45,000.00

 56,500.00

 Total Liabilities\$115,781.33

RECEIPTS AND

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes—Current Year	\$184,226.93
Poll taxes — Current Year —	
Regular at \$2	3,188.00
National Bank Stock Taxes ..	103.00
Total Current Year's taxes collected and remitted	\$187,517.93
Property Taxes—Previous Years	19,868.17
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Regular at \$2	678.00
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Special at \$3 .	6.00
Interest received on taxes	169.59
Tax sales redeemed	\$66.90
and Cost before sale	156.84

From State:

Interest and dividend tax	\$7,122.89
Railroad tax	162.80
Savings bank tax	1,035.81
Fighting forest fires	70.30
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	2.10

8,393.90

PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1948

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$4,859.26
Town officers' expenses	2,251.43
Election and registration expenses	856.81
Municipal court expenses	400.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	2,204.74

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	1,354.49
Fire department, including forest fires	15,770.69
Damage by dogs	72.17

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	2,052.83
Vital statistics	99.50
Sewer maintenance	394.10

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	1,258.88
Town Maintenance	35,058.62
Street lighting and sprinkling	5,151.15
General Expenses of Highway Department	12,409.16

Libraries:

Libraries	1,600.00
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RECEIPTS AND

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	808.00
Business licenses and permits ...	147.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	318.74
Rent of town property	192.50

1,466.24

Registration of motor vehicles, 1947 Permits	133.29
Registration of motor vehicles, 1948 Permits	8,885.33

9,018.62

PAYMENTS (Continued)

Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	4,864.76
Town poor	5,146.07

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations .	75.00
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Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	1,415.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,800.00
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Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	73.76
Advertising and Regional Associations	200.00
Taxes bought by town	779.57
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	47.60

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	141.10
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Outlay for New Construction and

Permanent Improvements:

New Streets	\$2,915.51
Mountain Road	6,514.10
Water Works construction	22,346.56
Sewer construction	6,789.30
Lands and buildings	10,037.90
New equipment	2,080.00

Total Outlay Payments	50,683.37
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RECEIPTS AND

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	
during year	\$40,000.00
Long Term Notes—Grasmere Water	45,000.00
Insurance adjustments	3.00
Refunds .....	.97
Gifts	55.80
Sale of town property	1,320.00
Histories	45.00
Sewers	1,275.00
Tarvia, sand and gravel	785.98
Filing fees	10.00
Maps	1.60
Dunbarton Fire Fighting	64.25
Labor	337.00
Ploughing snow	24.50
Road Gas refund	39.21
Dynamite and caps	2.00
Office rent	25.00
Akron Pipe	9.00
Junk	74.00
Mountain Road	131.25
Fire Aid refund	32.30

Total Receipts Other than Current	
Revenue	\$89,235.86

Total Receipts from All Sources ..	\$316,511.15
Cash on hand January 1, 1948	31,022.20
Grand Total	\$347,533.35

PAYMENTS (Concluded)

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$40,000.00
Payments on long term notes ..	2,500.00

Total Indebtedness Payments	42,500.00
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Payments to Other Governmental

Divisions:

Taxes paid to County	\$23,002.50
Payments to School	45,806.80

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	68,809.30
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Total Payments for all Purposes ...	\$262,329.36
Cash on hand December 31, 1948	85,203.99

Grand Total	\$347,533.35
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description and Value

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$45,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	17,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	350.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	6,000.00
Equipment	14,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings ..	3,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Materials and Supplies	500.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	315,000.00
Equipment	9,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through	
Tax Collector's deeds	7,980.00
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Total	\$446,330.00

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 19, 1949

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR.
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT FOR 1948

Registering 1774 cars	\$9,018.62
Registering 339 dogs	808.00
15 Sets Town Histories	45.00
Bowling Licenses	75.00
Pool Table	30.00
Filing Fees	10.00
Maps	1.60
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	\$9,988.22

VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS

Recording 77 Births
" 45 Deaths
" 53 Marriages
" 15 Non-Resident Burials
" 9 Corrections
211 Births and 175 Deaths at Hillsborough
County Farm and Hospital.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1948 Levy

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$204,615.18
Poll Taxes	4,208.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	103.00

Total Warrant	\$208,926.18
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Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$443.39
Poll Taxes	94.00
Interest Collected87

Total Debits	\$209,464.44
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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$184,636.43
Poll Taxes	3,188.00
National Bank Stock Tax	103.00
Interest Collected .....	.87
Abatements	536.70

Uncollected Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$20,015.44
Poll Taxes	986.00

Total Credits	\$209,464.44
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1947 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1948:

Property Taxes	\$14,899.40
Poll Taxes	1,022.00

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Interest Collected		193.43
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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Tax	\$14,541.63
Poll Taxes	622.00
Interest Collected	193.43
Abatements	242.77

Uncollected Taxes:

Property Taxes	127.00
Poll Taxes	388.00

Total Credits	<hr/>	\$16,114.83
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1948 POLL ABATEMENTS

Alfred W. Burnham, over age	Lawrence Kibbe, left Town
Agnes Beetz, left Town	Helen Lyons, left Town
Robert Bunton, over age	Ralph Lavallee, veteran
Rachel Belanger, Manchester	Leo Lafosse, left Town
Adelard Bourgois, deceased	Elizabeth Lafosse, left Town
Pierre Bussier, deceased	Dorothy Lagasse, veteran
Marion Campbell, left Town	George Lesperance, deceased
Noel Champagne, deceased	Amie Labrie, veteran
Marjorie Colburn, New Boston	Clarice Lewis, not 21
Amanda Constant, deceased	George Lafond, veteran
Luther Dearborn, over age	Nellie Lafond, not 21
Mary Dawson, Manchester	Jeanette Lesmerises, not 21
Mildred Dawson, Manchester	Frank Martin, Maine
Donald Dawson, veteran	Jeanie Mongeau, over age
Pedro Dennis, wrong tax	Real Martel, veteran
Nellie French, over age	Walter Miles, over age
Theresa Fortier, left Town	Frank K. Montgomery, veteran
Thomas Fullum, veteran	Elwood C. McKim, over age
Roland Gauthier, deceased	Henry Nute, over age
Laurent Gameline, veteran	Bertram Pepin, veteran
Pierre Gelinas, over age	Euphemia Proulx, over age
Irene Geoffrion, left Town	William W. Porritt, over age
Clement Grant, veteran	Martha Rhines, veteran
Paul G. Goodwin, Manchester	Lier Rogers, can't pay
John H. Harmon, left Town	Walter Rose, veteran
Anna B. Harmon, left Town	Mabel Sutton, over age
Jeanitta Hall, not 21	Rita Sweeney, double
Nancy Hoyt, left Town	Robert Sager, left Town
Carrol Hooper, not 21	Esther Sager, left Town
Thomas Boulanger, over age	Tracy E. Tarr, veteran
Edward F. Farrell, over age	Albert Vadnais, veteran
Joseph Martin, left Town	Florence Young, left Town
Earl Tillotson, left Town	

1948 PROPERTY ABATEMENTS

Byron B. and Evelyn Hussey, over tax	\$9.52
Lawrence and Mary McGinnis, over tax	23.80
Edgar Boucher, veteran	42.84
Harry and Arline Bournoyer, over tax	3.52
Yvonne Doyon, over tax	47.60
Alice Gonthier, over tax	23.80
Elsie E. Moody, wrong tax	60.46
Fernand and Leonada Roy, over tax	4.76
Herbert Johnstone, over tax	23.80
Roger C. Belleville, wrong tax	7.14
Lucienne Bergeron, double	19.04
Alfred C. Fairhurst, double	4.76
Paul Hebert & Co., wrong tax	38.08
Louie Straub, wrong tax	47.60
Angelo St. Jean, wrong tax	4.76
Claire M. Welch, wrong tax	9.52
Donat Richer, wrong tax	4.76
Joseph Dallaire, over tax	7.14
Joseph Pomerleau, wrong tax	23.80

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

Paid—

James M. George, services as Selectman	\$1,158.75
Wilfrid E. Perrault, services as Selectman	586.76
George A. Carr, services as Selectman	258.75
Elizabeth Hutchins, services as Town Clerk . .	400.00
Elizabeth Hutchins, fees for autos and dogs . .	955.00
William Sym, services as Tax Collector	900.00
Louis R. Gregg, services as Treasurer	450.00
Benj. F. Greer, services as Auditor	50.00
Frank W. Bartlett, services as Auditor	50.00
Harry F. Colburn, services as Auditor	50.00
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	\$4,859.26

Town Officers' Expenses

Paid—

Pub. Service Co. of N. H.	\$34.27
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	93.20
Sun Publisng Co., Goffstown Directory	6.00
Carl B. Pattee, Office Equip. Ins.	9.30
John B. Varick Co., supplies—Selectmen	8.15
Gibbs & Brown Press, Tax Col. supplies	39.36
Bartlett Express Co., delivering Town Reports	8.00
Arthur Cushing, delivering Town Reports . .	7.00
George L. Eaton, bonds	215.50
Leon H. Watt, stamps	16.00
Edson C. Eastman, dog licenses and supplies . .	25.68
Edson C. Eastman, Selectmen's and Town Clerk's supplies	35.44
Lamson Adv. Service, Town Reports	638.60
Wade Knowlton, Town Clerk's Bond	5.00

W. E. Perrault, Selectmen expenses	50.39
George A. Carr, Selectmen expenses	16.80
Goodman's Bookstore, Selectmen books	4.40
American Linen Ser. Co., towel service 1 year	10.80
N. H. Assessors Asso., dues 1948	2.00
Hills. Co. Reg Deeds, returning 282 deeds and 151 mortgages	87.29
Evelyn Pratt, work on inventories	16.00
H. W. Beecher & Co., rent typewriter and repair	16.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Selectmen's supplies	65.60
W. J. Boisclair, list of names	1.70
Donat Corriveau, registering deeds	2.46
Brown & Saltmarsh, Clerk-Tax Col. Books ..	25.27
William Sym, Col., Tax Collector's sale	78.86
William Sym, Col., tax sale expenses	7.34
William Sym; Col., taxes on Lein property ..	63.60
Elizabeth Hutchins, Town Clerk's office, stamps and supplies	55.65
Elizabeth Hutchins, clerical work, Selectmen	392.00
Barbara Swett, stamps	15.00
New England Paper Co., Selectmen's supplies	12.27
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co., repair adding machine	1.62
Flora Spaulding, copying tax book	8.25
D. L. Garrison, auto price list	9.00
Arthur S. Healy, Clerk of Court fee	2.20
Goffstown Grain & Fuel Co., Selectmen's supplies	1.58
R. H. Llewellyn Co., cabinet—Tax Collector	43.10
Fred L. Tower, N. H. Register	8.00
S. K. Lovell, supplies	53.00
Granite State Press, printed supplies	24.75
Granite C. Eastman Co., Selectmen's invoice book	35.00
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\$2,251.43	

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Paid—

William F. Parker, services—Ballot Clerk . . .	\$38.10
Ethelyn Goodwin, services Ballot Clerk	38.10
Frank N. Simons, services—Ballot Clerk	38.10
William Sym, services—Ballot Clerk	38.10
Harry Simpson, Sound System Wesley Wyman Post	5.00
A. L. Auricchio, meals, 3 elections	240.90
L'avenir Nat. Pub. Co., 50 check lists	82.00
S. K. Lovell, ballots	21.70
Albert Lamothe, moderator	15.00
W. J. Cloutier, Ballot Clerk	13.00
C. E. Perrault, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Lucien Hebert, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Henry Gamelin, Ballot Clerk	13.00
A. J. Levesque, Ballot Clerk	13.00
Charles Pecor, Police	13.00
Omer Rajotte, duty at polls	6.00
Ralph LaVallee, Ballot Clerk	7.00
Armand Montgomery, Ballot Clerk	7.00
Roscoe Prescott, Ballot Clerk	7.00
H. Allen Brown, electric wiring booths	19.31
Frank Lemon, meals, election	14.50
Robert M. Gordon, Supervisor	55.00
Benj. F. Greer, Supervisor	55.00
Frank W. Bartlett, Supervisor	55.00
Alfred W. Poore, Moderator	50.00
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	\$856.81

MUNICIPAL COURT

Paid—

Alfred W. Poore, Judge	\$400.00
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ANNUAL REPORT OF MUNICIPAL COURT OF GOFFSTOWN

For Year Ending December 31st, 1948

Receipts

Jan.	1	Cash on hand	\$2.00
	17	Herman W. Lafond	14.70
	26	Louis W. Hodgman	9.70
Feb.	1	Armond L. Beaulieu	54.70
	7	Howard F. Smith	14.70
	9	Frank Devoe	11.70
	14	David Murphy	9.70
	26	Thomas J. Moore, Jr.	14.70
Mar.	6	Harold Johonnette	4.70
	12	Richard N. Russell	9.70
	20	Alexander Fournier	8.00
		Arthur Helie	8.00
		Arthur Lucier	8.00
April	28	John P. Driscoll	14.70
May	3	John Doyle	8.00
	10	Aime Philibotte	19.70
	22	David Price, Jr.	14.70
	26	Kenneth Burns	16.70
	27	Willard Archibald	54.70
		William Matheson	54.70
	29	Arthur B. Salvas	9.70
June	4	Henry W. Langlon	9.70
		Herbert Elliott	9.70
		Theresa Beesmer	9.70
	11	Leo Paul Laverdure	9.70
	16	Adrien H. Levesque	15.70
July	8	Oscar W. Wenzell	14.70
	19	Davis Woodbury	14.70

		Lyle Harris	14.70
	23	William Edwards	13.00
	26	Arthur Sasseville	32.70
Aug.	4	Richard H. Perkins	29.70
	6	Alton N. Gray	14.70
	7	Ernest Leathers	9.70
		Henry Frederick, Jr.	9.70
	18	Onil Lacerte	29.70
	29	Harold F. Burns	9.70
	31	Russell L. Perkins	14.70
Sept.	2	Joseph L. Harris	13.10
	4	Lyle Harris	9.70
	6	Bruce Harris	5.00
	7	Robert Nichols	14.70
		William Kusalka	29.70
		Wayne Warriner	29.70
	8	Michael Kilenski	9.70
	22	William M. Kusalka	19.10
	23	Bruce Harris	8.10
		Matthew Kurcz	32.10
		Paul E. Boucher	10.70
	30	Ernest Boureassou	12.70
Oct.	4	Joseph Belanger	16.10
		Willie Guillemette	16.10
	5	Robert Blanchette	14.70
	23	Russell A. Ricker	5.00
	30	Russell A. Ricker	4.70
Nov.	12	Leon Tellier	54.70
		George Beauchemin	54.70
	16	Henry Lyle Harris	12.40
		Lester S. Danforth	29.40
Dec.	14	Henry Burnham	14.70
		Allen L. Ilsley	9.70
		Donald S. Smith	14.70
		Writs and entry fees	6.10
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			\$1,072.70

Expenditures

Jan.	17	Motor Vehicle Department	\$10.70
	26	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
Feb.	2	Motor Vehicle Department	46.70
		Stamps .....	.99
	9	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70
	20	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
	28	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70
Mar.	6	Motor Vehicle Department	1.70
	12	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
April	28	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70
May	15	Fish and Game Department	16 70
	24	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70
	26	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70
	31	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
		Fish and Game Department	103.40
June	5	Motor Vehicle Department	18.60
	12	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
		Evans Printing Co.	3.00
	17	Motor Vehicle Department	9.00
July	13	Stamps	3.00
	20	Motor Vehicle Department	21.40
	27	Motor Vehicle Department	22.50
Aug.	4	Fish and Game Department	11.70
	5	Motor Vehicle Department	24.20
	7	Motor Vehicle Department	12.40
	9	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
	27	Motor Vehicle Department	24.20
Sept.	7	Motor Vehicle Department	12.40
		Motor Vehicle Department	24.20
	8	Motor Vehicle Department	34.90
	16	Motor Vehicle Department	1.70
	22	Thomas F. O'Brien, Fees	10.20
	23	Thomas F. O'Brien, Fees	12.20
Oct.	2	Motor Vehicle Department	27.00
	6	Motor Vehicle Department	10.70

Nov.	1	Motor Vehicle Department	6.20
	13	Motor Vehicle Department	46.70
	17	Motor Vehicle Department	25.90
		Fish and Game Department	51.70
	18	Thomas F. O'Brien, Fees	4.40
Dec.	14	Motor Vehicle Department	27.60
	20	John L. Putnam, Fees	16.80
		Earl Dubois, Fees	5.70
		Thomas F. O'Brien, Fees	6.20
		Bank Service Charges	6.57
	30	Town of Goffstown	318.74
		Cash on hand	2.00
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			\$1,072.70

TOWN BUILDINGS

Paid—

Public Service Co. of N. H., lighting	\$144.20
E. W. Poore, supplies, Town Hall	38.52
Goffstown Hardware Co., supplies, Town Hall	63.08
R. H. Taber, fire extinguisher	42.50
Herbert M. Cutler, labor Town Hall	4.50
Pittsburg Plate Glass, supplies, Town Hall ..	48.50
John B. Varick, supplies, Town Hall	18.14
L. M. Hall, window shades	55.00
Marshall's Garage, fuel oil	1,120.88
Harold Huntley, labor	8.88
David E. Paige, janitor, Grasmere Hall	60.00
Fred L. Cook, janitor, Town Hall	269.61
Goffstown Water Dept., water	50.00
J. J. Moreau & Son, supplies, Town Hall	25.17
H. Allen Brown, labor and supplies	13.34
Murray McKay, painting signs	4.50
B. F. Greer, wood	10.00
Wade Knowlton, insurance	62.76
Emery Waterhouse, wax	2.25
Philip H. Burnham, labor	88.56
S. K. Lovell, supplies	27.15
Brickcrete Mfg. Co., supplies	16.95
Myron Small, labor	3.00
John H. Corthell, lettering doors	27.25
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	\$2,204.74

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Duty

Paid—

John L. Putnam, Chief, services as Police	\$718.26
Earl Dubois, services as Police	330.60

James O. Rogers, services as Police	128.23
Roger Moore, services as Police	47.25
David E. Paige, services as Police	8.25
William Sprague, services as Police	73.70
Harry Simpson, services as Police	5.25
Charles M. Floyd Co., supplies	40.95
Richard Rogers, Asst. and use of car	2.00
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	\$1,354.49

FIRES

Paid—

Pub. Service Co. of N. H., electric lighting	\$104.60
New England Tel. & Tel., telephones	77.84
Fletcher's Fill. Sta., supplies	202.66
John B. Varick, supplies	17.50
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., insurance	220.00
Portable Light Co., supplies	52.50
George L. Eaton, insurance	175.53
Earl Corning, labor	35.58
Earl Corning, Forest Fire Ex.	30.00
R. C. Greer, Fire Dept. supplies	318.96
Myron Small, janitor services	100.00
Theron Morgrage, Fire Chief's salary	1,886.26
Theron Morgrage, Forest Fire Warden	161.75
Wade Knowlton, insurance	30.00
Goffstown Grain & Fuel, supplies	83.10
Goffstown Hardware Co., supplies	36.64
Davis & Martin, supplies	6.22
Fire Protection Co., fire hose	913.37
State of N. H., forest fire tools	9.60
Howard Mudge, gas	13.71
Bartlett Express, Ex. on fire hose	3.04
Marshall Service Station, gas	25.37
Manchester Oxygen Co., refilling tanks	10.25
Goodwins Dairy, milk	1.80
Goffstown Motor Mart, supplies	61.95
Grant's Poultry Farm, lumber	1.81
Merrimack Farmers' Ex., supplies	4.37
L. D. H. Ford, painting trucks	50.00
Maurice Zinc Sec., Firemens' Assessment	54.92
Manchester Water Works, hydrant service ..	1,120.00
Maurice Zinc Sec., firemen deduction	20.70
Horace O. Whipple, repairing water hole ...	213.00
Theron Morgrage, express	11.47
Ralph Hall, labor	5.63

Sherman Bartlett, labor	2.25
Henry Burnham, labor	2.50
Kellett Machine Works, labor Fire Equip.	27.00
Carl B. Pattee, insurance	29.78
Farrar Co, labor, Seagrave pump	420.20
Eastern Fire Equip. Co.	31.05
Carl B. Pattee, Clerk, Firemen's Pay 1948	2,403.52
Theodore Simpson, labor	7.13
William Batcheldor, labor	1.50
Kendall Hadley Co., windows	1.00
Raymond L. Merrill, supplies	7.50
Seagrave Corp., services	51.68
Gamewell Company, fire alarm equipment ..	4,083.40
Louis W. Bills, fire alarm, labor	31.00
Frank Smith, labor	4.50
Leon E. Pierce, lunches	3.05
Francis C. Moore, surveying	3.50
Wm. E. Bedders, digging fire holes	80.00
Wm. E. Blaisdell, Treas., Goffstown Fil. Fire Precinct	2,520.00
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	\$15,770.69

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Paid—

John Giovagnoli, collecting garbage	\$1,125.00
Edward DeGrenier, care of Pinardville dump	275.00
Arthur Cushing, care of Town dump	530.00
Muir Lumber Corp., cedar posts	16.00
W. E. Perrault, labor	9.00
Alfred Roberge, fence at dump	7.50
Edward DeGrenier, fence at dump	7.50
J. B. Varick, fence supplies	9.50
Goffstown Grain & Fuel Co., supplies at dump	2.75
E. D. Moore Co., matches	2.35
Robert M. Gordon, Health Officer	68.23
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	\$2,052.83

VITAL STATISTICS

Paid—

Elizabeth Hutchins, recording Vital Statistics	\$99.50
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DAMAGE BY DOGS

Paid—

Ernest H. Bourque, damage to fowl	\$52.17
Robert J. McConnell, damage to fowl	20.00
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	\$72.17

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Town Maintenance

ACCOUNT OF HORACE L. SHIRLEY, ROAD AGENT

Selectmen's Orders Received

Paid—

January 7	\$1,930.47
January 14	1,512.56
January 21	1,767.43
January 28	1,996.67
February 4	1,184.50
February 11	1,487.51
February 18	1,273.72
February 25	411.85
March 3	1,383.14
March 10	776.31
March 24	784.39
March 31	747.13
February 28	1,102.56
April 7	608.64
April 10	478.89
April 21	526.65
April 28	668.49
May 5	484.73
May 12	282.40
May 19	332.15
May 26	153.57

June 2	190.36
June 9	134.38
June 16	142.95
June 23	334.93
June 30	227.61
July 7	300.37
July 14	349.34
July 21	164.69
July 28	232.17
August 4	441.82
August 11	817.19
August 18	1,433.30
August 25	1,446.46
September	849.25
September 8	546.34
September 15	517.00
September 22	188.15
October 6	487.83
October 13	466.49
October 20	194.13
October 27	308.19
November 3	534.99
November 10	572.95
November 17	243.39
November 24	334.68
December 1	898.46
December 8	628.14
December 15	399.29
December 22	585.93
December 29	481.58
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	\$34,346.12

T. R. A.

Paid—	
N. H. State Highway	\$1,258.88

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Paid—	
Wesley Wyman Post, Memorial Day appropriation	\$75.00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Paid—	
Robert L. Stark, Treas., appropriation	\$1,400.00
David E. Paige, care Park, Grasmere	15.00
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	\$1,415.00

MERRIMACK REGION ASSN.

Paid—	
Harry S. Parker, Pres., membership	\$200.00

LIBRARY

Paid—	
Raymond C. Greer, Treasurer	\$1,600.00

CHARITIES

Cost of Town for direct relief	\$5,146.07
Total Expenses of Old Age Assistance from Jan. 1, 1948 to Jan. 1, 1949	\$19,459.04 4,864.76
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Total Cost Relief plus Old Age Assistance ..	\$10,010.83

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Paid—	
William Sym, Col., taxes on Lien property	\$429.12

TAXES RETURNED

Paid—

Paul H. Bailey, refund on taxes	\$47.60
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TAXES BOUGHT TO TOWN

Paid—

Wm. Sym, Col., taxes bought by Town	\$350.45
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CEMETERIES

Paid—

L. R. Gregg, Treasurer	\$1,800.00
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LEGAL EXPENSES

Alfred Osborne, surveying	\$12.82
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Jonathan Piper, services notes and bonds	60.94
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\$73.76

WITHHOLDING TAXES

Paid—

Collector Internal Revenue, withholding taxes	\$712.50
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INTEREST ON SHORT TERM NOTES

Paid—

Merchants Nat. Bank, interest	\$141.10
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SHORT TERM NOTES

Paid—

Oct. 6	Merchants National Bank, money borrowed in anticipation of 1948 taxes	\$10,000.00
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Dec. 7	Merchants National Bank, short note	30,000.00
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\$40,000.00

LONG TERM NOTES

Paid—

Hills. Co. Savings Bank, bridge note	\$1,000.00
Hills. Co. Savings Bank, Town Hall note	1,500.00
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	\$2,500.00

NEW STREETS

Paid—

Total cost, Goffstown Village streets	\$1,276.55
Total cost, Pinardville streets	1,638.96
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	\$2,915.51

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS RECEIVED

Paid—

April 14, 1948	\$30.00
August 25	81.20
September 1	87.80
September 8	642.04
September 15	546.71
October 27	526.10
November 10	106.26
November 17	256.70
November 24	577.10
December 1	25.60
December 8	36.00
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	\$2,915.51

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Paid—

North Mast St. sewer, refinishing	\$186.03
Elm Street sewer	2,212.33
Pinardville sewer	4,287.54
Village, shoveling	103.40
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	\$6,789.30

Special Appropriation

MOUNTAIN ROAD

Paid—	
May 19	\$36.76
May 26	19.00
June 9	450.27
June 2	56.00
June 16	1,042.13
June 16	790.77
June 23	1,054.51
June 30	1,130.70
June 30	1,129.31
July 21	747.95
September 1	56.70
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\$6,514.10	

STREET LIGHTING

Paid—	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$5,151.15

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Paid—	
Marjorie Corning, Treas.	\$45,000.00
Marjorie Corning, dog licenses	806.80
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\$45,806.80	

COUNTY TAX

Paid—	
Hillsborough County Treas., county tax	\$23,002.50

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL
DIVISIONS

Paid—	
William E. Blaisdell, Treas., Village Precinct (Included under Fire Report)	\$2,520.00

APPROPRIATION FOR NEW HALL AND FURNISHINGS— $\frac{1}{4}$ OF 1%

Paid—

Philip H. Burnham, heating contract	\$1,077.45
K. G. Moore, delivering chairs	35.00
W. E. Perrault, labor	66.00.
J. J. Hodge Company, lumber	10.28
West Side Lumber Co., lumber	217.76
Alfred Osborne, surveying	5.60
Lechmere Construction Co., oil tank	98.00
Oliver Brown, labor	6.00
J. J. Moreau & Sons, stage supplies	9.08
William J. Wagner, chairs	1,514.75
O. Pinard & Son, painting	388.85
Norris W. Corey, architect	1,885.31
Davidson Construction Co., extra work	3,231.85
Marshall French, grading lawn	437.55
E. Frank White, painting	100.00
J. H. Faltin, transportation, oil tank	14.94
Abbott's Paint Store, paint	125.00
Raymond Colcord, loam	32.00
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	\$9,255.42

SPECIAL REPAIRS GRASMERE TOWN HALL

Paid—

West Side Lumber Co., lumber	\$36.01
Ralph Hall, laborer	50.00
J. F. Martineau, plastering	115.80
Philip H. Burnham, plumbing and fixtures ...	581.67
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	\$783.48

Special Appropriation

GRASMERE WATER SYSTEM

Paid—

Horace L. Shirley, labor	\$57.00
C. W. Fergusson, Gen. Contractor, supplies ..	21,272.52
Worthington Gamon Meter Co., supplies	1,017.04
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	\$22,346.56

NEW EQUIPMENT

Paid—

New England Road Machine, road equipment	\$650.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., snow plow	640.00
New Hamp. Explosive, road equipment	85.00
Casellini Venable Corp., snow plow attachment	705.00
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	\$2,080.00

GENERAL HIGHWAY

Paid—

Herman L. Pollard, use water trough	\$3.00
W. E. Perrault, labor	59.82
Alfred Osborne, surveying	24.90
Barrett Division, Cold Patch and Tarvia	10,563.18
Horace L. Shirley, express equipment	9.27
William R. Eaton, Ins. machinery and shed ..	17.28
Henry Thibodeau, street signs	6.00
N. H. State Treas., signs	15.00
A. Kenneth Hambleton, insurance	30.00
Wade H. Knowlton, employees' insurance ...	604.64
Valley Bros., lumber road signs	21.12
W. Side Lumber Co., lumber road signs	45.08
Goffstown Hardware Co., highway supplies .	1.21

Charles P. Paige, labor and supplies, St. painting	13.50
John H. Carthell, painting highway signs	276.00
Elizabeth Hutchins, water	50.00
Verna Barnard, Moose Club Park Rd.	50.00
Carl B. Pattee, insurance, road machine	101.10
Valley Bros., lumber road signs	15.81
Albert Brodeur	6.00
Horace L. Shirley, labor on WMUR road ...	131.25
R. C. Hazelton Co., road supplies	195.00
N. H. Explosive Co., road supplies	170.00
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	\$12,409.16

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Paid—

Philip H. Burnham, labor on sewers	\$5.40
Horace L. Shirley, repair on sewer	377.90
Alfred Osborne, surveying	10.80
Philip A. Lanoie, labor on sewer	40.00
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	\$394.10

FINANCIAL STATEMENT NEW TOWN HALL BUILDING

Receipts 1947

Note—Town Hall Bldg.	\$13,000.00	
Insurance and Interest	18,824.24	
Gifts from Individuals	2,750.00	
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		\$34,574.24

Receipts 1948

1/4 of 1% of Town Valuation	\$11,275.00	
Gift from Dance	55.80	
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		11,330.80
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Total Receipts	\$45,905.04	

Expenses 1947

Davidson Con. Co.	\$30,009.00	
Philip H. Burnham	3,060.00	
Horace Shirley	848.00	
Kellett Machine Co.	34.00	
Union Leader Co.	11.76	
Bartlett Express	1.64	
Norris W. Corey	348.00	
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		\$34,312.40

Expenses 1948

Davison Con. Co., extra work ...	\$3,231.85
Norris W. Corey, Architect Fees .	1,885.31
Philip H. Burnham, heating	1,077.45

O. Pinard & Son, painting	388.85
Marshall French, lawn	437.55
W. H. Wagnor, 500 chairs	1,514.75
J. J. Abbott, paint	125.00
Frank White, painting	100.00
J. J. Moreau & Son, supplies stage	9.08
W. Side Lumber Co., supplies stage	217.76
J. H. Hodge, supplies stage	10.28
K. G. Moore, Del. chairs	35.00
W. E. Perrault, labor stage	66.00
Alfred Osborne, surveying	5.60
Lechmere Con. Co., oil tank	98.00
Oliver Brown, labor—Lawn	6.00
J. H. Faltin, transporting oil tank	14.94
Raymond Colcord, loam	32.00
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	9,255.42
Paid—	
Hills. Co. Sav. Bank, Payment on Note	1,500.00
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Total Expenses for 1947 and 1948	\$45,067.82
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Unexpended Balance	\$837.22
Asset: Due for fill sold	225.00

On hand, ready for installation when the Town Hall is completed, is a Four Face Automatic Electrically Illuminated Clock, the gift of the Parker Heirs as a Memorial to Charles and Bessie Parker.

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Goffstown on December 31, 1948

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1910	Library Fund, Charles S. and Henry W. Parker	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$3,745.17	2 ½ %	.....	\$94.20	\$94.20	.....
1897	Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund ...	Amoskeag Savings Bank	37,274.62 690.00 37,964.62	2 ½ %	\$1,077.23	871.81	600.00	1,349.04
		Hillsborough County Savings Bank						
		Manchester Savings Bank						
		New Hampshire Savings Bank ...						
1928	Y.L.D. Club Fund, for Pattee Com.	Manchester Savings Bank	25.00	2 ½ %	22.24	1.18	.....	23.42
1932	Library Fund, Goodwin, Tibbetts, Haselton and Richards	Hillsborough County Savings Bank	1,372.90	2 ½ %	.....	27.56	27.56	.....
1933	T. R. Butterfield Cemetery and Library Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	2,000.00	2 ½ %	.....	50.31	50.31	.....
1947	Barnard Playground Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	500.00	2 ½ %	10.47	12.83	.....	23.30
1947	Goffstown Historical Society Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	12,000.00	2 ½ %	251.25	308.19	.....	559.44
January 31	We have examined this account and found it correct with proper footings and correct vouchers.							
		Auditors						
		{ B. F. GREER HARRY F. GOLBURN FRANK W. BARTLETT						
			Totals	\$57,607.69	\$1,361.19	\$1,366.08	\$772.07	\$1,955.20

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, according to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CARL B. PATTEE,
FRANK A. PARKER,
WILLIAM R. EATON.
Trustees.

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the Official Records of the Town and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. E. PERRAULT,
GEORGE A. CARR,
JAMES M. GEORGE,
Selectmen of Goffstown

LOUIS R. GREGG,
Treasurer

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Treasurer of the Library Trustees, Treasurer of Barnard Playground Commission, Treasurer of Goffstown Village Water Department and Fire Precinct, for the year ending December 31, 1948 and find the vouchers satisfactory and footings correct.

BENJAMIN F. GREER,
FRANK W. BARTLETT,
HARRY F. COLBURN,
Town Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GOFFSTOWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

For the past year the Library staff has remained the same, and the Trustees are pleased that the circulation has increased during the year. Mrs. Francis Dodge was the new member elected to fill a vacancy on the board.

The reading room has been cleaned, and the floor and furniture refinished, and it is planned to do the same in the children's room in the future. The edges of the roof, damaged by ice and trees, were repaired, and the evergreen trees, which had grown to such height as to interfere with lighting, and to damage the roof, were removed, and will be replaced by low growing shrubs soon.

For the first time a lighted and decorated Christmas tree was placed in the lobby of the building, which proved an added attraction to the children, as well as other borrowers.

Again the trustees wish to thank the Shirley Club for the annual contribution, which is used to purchase children's books, also Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moss, Mr. Robert Vincent, and Mrs. Hamilton Rice for gifts of books. The friendly cooperation of subscribers is appreciated by all the personnel of the Library.

HARRY F. COLBURN
RAYMOND C. GREER
MARGARET S. SMITH
RUTH LUSCOMBE
CHARLES PAIGE
MARTHA B. DODGE

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1948	\$26.61
Received for fines, cards and requests	108.54
For non-resident's deposit	2.00
For book lost	1.93
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	\$139.08

Paid:

Treasurer	\$105.00
For books, supplies, postage, etc.	22.45
Non-resident's deposit returned	2.00
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	9.63
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	\$139.08

Number of registrations during the year	171
Days open for circulation	151
Total circulation for year	11,048
Percent of issues that were magazines	8
Percent of issues that were non-fiction	18
Total circulation at Grasmere	2,048
Volumes added during year	325
Volumes mended during year	126
Volumes discarded	21

ANNIE R. HARRINGTON,
Librarian.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE GOFFSTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Received from:

1948 Balance	\$151.24
Town of Goffstown	1,600.00
Shirley Club, gift for purchase of books	20.00
Librarian, fines	105.00
Income from trust funds	122.95
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	\$1,999.19

Paid for:

Salaries of Librarian and assistants	\$610.50
Janitor	200.00
Fuel	288.89
Insurance	108.46
Electricity	92.22
Books	513.18
Labor and materials	88.28
Express on books to Grasmere	42.75
Water	12.00
Rebinding	1.25
Cash on hand, January 1, 1949	41.66
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	\$1,999.19

RAYMOND C. GREER,
Treasurer.



REPORT OF GOFFSTOWN VILLAGE
FIRE PRECINCT

Fire Wardens

and

Water Commissioners

RECORD OF ANNUAL PRECINCT MEETING

— — —
April 6, 1948

Meeting called to order at 8:05 o'clock by the Moderator. Warrant was read by Moderator.

Article 1. Officers elected for the ensuing year.

Moderator—William F. Parker

Clerk—Carl B. Pattee

Each took Oath of Office.

Auditors—Frank W. Bartlett, Harry F. Colburn,
B. F. Greer

Article 2. Water Commissioner for Five Years—
William E. Blaisdell

Article 3. Voted to allow the Water Commissioners to borrow money in excess of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) due to any emergency.

Article 4. Motion: That the Precinct extend its water lines so as to take in the farm of Alonso Gagnon, provided the properties that are served by this extension be taken into the precinct, and that all those who can be served by this extension, will guarantee to the Commissioners, that they will take water when available. Vote in the affirmative.

Article 5. Moved we vote to give the Board of Water Commissioners authority to extend the water mains as they deem necessary, provided all the extensions are in the Precinct. Vote in the affirmative.

Article 6. Moved that the matter in regard to exchange of land belonging to the Precinct for land belonging to Richard Brown, be left with the Water Commissioners. Vote in the affirmative.

Article 7. Moved to accept the reports of the Officers as printed in the Town Report. Vote in the affirmative.

Article 8. Mr. Bryant spoke regarding extending the water main to Glen Lake for water service and fire protection for the camps and homes.

Moved the Water Commissioners investigate what the proposition would be in putting water down to Glen Lake and report at the next Annual Meeting. This report to cover the expense of the same. Not seconded.

There being no further business it was voted to adjourn this meeting.

CARL B. PATTEE,
Clerk

COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR WATER
DEPARTMENT, 1948

VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

Total Collections for year ending January 1,
1949 \$8,704.01

Cash Paid William E. Blaisdell, Treas.

March 1, 1948	\$3,473.13
June 9	704.05
Sept. 7	3,585.67
Nov. 5	600.43
Dec. 20	340.73
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	\$8,704.01

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Collector.

WATER DEPARTMENT OF GOFFSTOWN

VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

WILLIAM E. BLAISDELL, Treasurer

Receipts

1948

Jan.	1	From Former Treasurer	\$1,029.75
Mar.	4	Elizabeth Hutchins, Collector	3,473.13
June	1	Manchester Savings Bank, note ...	4,600.00
	9	Elizabeth Hutchins, Collector	704.05
July	8	A. M. Jenks & Son, Refund	205.00
	30	Lillian A. Richards, Trenching	30.00
Sept.	7	Elizabeth Hutchins, Collector	3,585.67
Oct.	1	Manchester Savings Bank, note ...	5,000.00
Nov.	10	Elizabeth Hutchins, Collector	600.43
Dec.	20	Elizabeth Hutchins, Collector	340.73
	31	Richard W. Brown, Rent & Wood	50.00
	31	Town of Goffstown, Hydrant serv- ice	2,520.00
		Robert I. McDougall, Wood	553.50
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			\$22,692.26

Our debt to the Manchester Savings Bank is now twenty-five thousand seven hundred dollars (\$25,700.00).

Expenditures

Utilities Supply Corp., pipe and fittings	\$5,058.68
Manchester Savings Bank, interest	644.00
Neptune Meter Co., meters	393.60
William E. Bedders, shovel, trucks and bulldozer	3,657.84
Lucien Clang, filling ditch	305.00
Grant's Poultry Farm, filling ditch	33.00
Pierce Perry Co., leadite	71.24
Derryfield Supply Co., copper tubing and fittings	133.15
Geo. E. Trudel Co., copper tubing and fittings	374.35
Red Hed Mfg Co., supplies	126.44
Ford Meter Box Co., supplies	26.22
Gorman Rupp Co., pump repairs	6.48
Whitehead Metal Products Co., screen	82.82
Parker Danner Co., joint runners	6.72
Boston & Maine R.R., labor at crossing	17.56
Union Welding Co., thawing pipes and welding	136.50
Davison Construction Co., use of compressor	90.00
Marshall's Garage, gas and oil	84.18
Barnard's Texaco Station, gas	8.47
Joseph G. LaBonte, excavation	38.00
Town of Goffstown, repairing road	53.00
Horace L. Shirley, road repairs	78.00
John H. Stevens Co., Inc., pipe	8.96
O. F. Winslow, Inc., road repairs	30.00
Kendall-Hadley Co., screen frame	16.50
Fred L. Cook, shoveling out hydrants	80.00
Philip H. Burnham, thawing pipes	46.25
Philip A. Lanoie, fitting	2.69
William F. Parker, labor on service	5.00
Daniel Ordway, shoveling out hydrants	9.75

A. M. Jenks & Son, laying pipe, truck hire, operation and repairs	4,430.91
John E. Rich, preparing state reports	30.00
Carl B. Pattee, bonds	25.00
Robert I. McDougall, unloading pipe	27.50
Elizabeth Hutchins, salary and supplies	376.28
William E. Blaisdell, salary and supplies	21.50
Board of Commissioners, attending meetings	15.00
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	\$16,550.59
Cash on hand	6,141.67
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	\$22,692.26

FINANCIAL REPORT

GOFFSTOWN VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

Assets

General fund	\$6,141.61
Uncollected Water Rents	251.51
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Total Assets	\$66,393.18
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt) ..	19,306.82
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Grand Total	\$25,700.00

Liabilities

Notes outstanding	\$25,700.00
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Total Liabilities	\$25,700.00
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Grand Total	\$25,700.00

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Taxes	\$2,620.00
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From Other Sources:

Water Rents	8,604.01
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Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Notes issued during year	9,600.00
Sale of Wood	603.50
Sale of Supplies	235.00
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Total Receipts from All Sources ..	\$21,662.51
Cash on hand at beginning of year	1,029.75
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Grand Total	\$22,692.26

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Source of Supply	\$523.79
Repairs to Mains	711.50
Repairs to Services	256.67
Repairs to Hydrants	217.50
Repairs to Meters	136.70
Commercial Supplies and Ex- pense	427.78
General Expense	40.00

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$2,313.94

Outlay, New Construction and Equipment:

New Mains	\$9,000.66
New Services	1,445.00
New Meters	456.90
Other Equipment	74.29
New Cons. Water Supply	2,615.80

Total Outlay Payments 13,592.65

Indebtedness:

Payment on Notes	\$644.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments 644.00

Total Payments for All Purposes ..	\$16,550.59
Cash on hand at end of year	6,141.67

Grand Total \$22,692.26

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

Lands and Buildings:

Water Supply Land	\$5,203.13
Storage Equipment	48,569.41
Distribution Mains	62,308.27
Services	16,013.10
Hydrants	4,371.49

Furniture and Apparatus:

Meters	7,285.43
Other Equipment	358.59

Total Valuation	\$144,109.42
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Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM E. BLAISDELL,
Treasurer.

Jan. 18, 1949

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Your local organization to prevent and extinguish brush and woods fires is glad to report a good year of forest protection in 1948. In spite of danger conditions nearly equalling at times those of 1947 when great losses were suffered in New Hampshire and New England, fire damage and loss this year have been gratifyingly low.

With the continuing cooperation of all the people, we can hope to have another successful year in 1949. Let us remember that in any year, over 90% of all fires are caused by carelessness and that all of these man-caused fires are preventable.

Today, we have more slash and uncut grassland than for many years in the past. Smokers, campers and tourists who use our outdoors are also more numerous than ever before. We must therefore be ready for fires which might occur but, above all, prevention by everyone is the greatest need.

A few simple precautions taken by every citizen will help, as follows:

- (1) Always get a written permit from the warden before kindling a fire outdoors when the ground is not covered with snow.
- (2) If you smoke, always extinguish matches and tobacco before dropping or throwing them down. In automobiles, always use the ash trays.
- (3) Report fires and smokes to the warden without delay.

The observance of these and other simple rules will go far to insure safety from fire damage and your cooperation in this way is earnestly solicited.

1948 Fire Record

Number of Fires—20

Acreage Burned—12½

Number of Fire Permits Issued—116

Respectfully submitted,

THERON J. MORGRAGE,
Forest Fire Warden.

CHARLES F. YOUNG,
District Fire Chief.

REPORT OF THE BARNARD PLAYGROUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

1948

Jan. 1	Manchester Savings Bank	\$45.33
.	Interest	1.05
Mar. 13	Cash from the Town	100.00
July 8	Cash from the Town	1,300.00
Total		<u>\$1,446.38</u>

Expenditures

Jan. 16	Public Service Co.	\$1.00
Mar. 22	Public Service Co.	2.00
	A. M. Jenks & Son	3.00
April 1	Parker's Sport Shop	8.50
	Public Service Co.	1.00
May 15	Public Service Co.	2.00
	A. M. Jenks & Son	3.00
June 9	Goffstown Grain & Fuel Co. ....	.65
	Public Service Co.	2.00
16	Goffstown Hardware	2.47
	William Marshall	2.00
July 2	Horace Partridge	21.50
	R. R. Express	1.86
8	Fred L. Cook	30.75
	Kenneth Burns	1.86
	Robie Construction Co.	940.00
	E. W. Poore	2.00
22	Philip Morris & Co.	15.75

Aug.	5	Parkers Sport Shop	28.00
	6	Fred L. Cook	25.40
	25	Public Service Co.	4.08
	31	Fred L. Cook	16.50
		Philip Burnham	1.50
Sept.	1	A. M. Jenks & Son	1.72
	7	Marshall French	24.00
Oct.	4	Fred L. Cook	13.50
Nov.	8	Public Service Co.	2.00
		Checker Cab Co.	24.00
Dec.	6	Public Service Co.	1.00
	13	Marshall French	8.50
	26	Fred L. Cook	2.25
	27	Philip Burnham	3.66
	29	E. W. Poore	4.48
		Public Service Co.	1.00
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		Total	\$1,202.57
Dec.	31	Manchester Savings Bank	206.96
		Cash on hand	36.85
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			\$1,446.38

ROBERT L. STARK,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE BARNARD PLAYGROUND TRUSTEES

Ample recreational facilities are an important part of every progressive community. As Goffstown continues to grow, there is an ever increasing need for a well equipped and properly supervised playground. We have the potentialities for such an area in Barnard Playground, which if properly developed will fill the recreational needs of the boys and girls, as well as the adults of Goffstown.

This past year an asphalt tennis court was built, so that this popular sport can now be served by two playing surfaces. Organized tennis programs were conducted by the high school and Outing Club. The baseball and softball diamonds were put to active use by the high school during their spring season, and the Outing Club and Pinardville Athletic Club during the summer months. The American Legion conducted their 1948 Lawn Party at the playground in July, and the area was used for several events during the Outing Club's 1949 Winter Carnival.

This coming season, many repairs are urgently needed. Included in the plans are the replacing of many planks in the grandstand, re-inforcing and shingling the entrance arch, enclosing the new tennis court with wire screening, and grading portions of the outfield. A gate will be installed under the archway to prevent automobiles from driving across the field, and the play area for younger children will be made more usable by the purchasing of new equipment.

EARL GREENWOOD
NORTON R. PHELPS
ROBERT L. STARK
ALFRED W. POORE, JR.,
Chairman

REPORT OF CEMETERIES

Receipts

1948

Cash on hand	\$10.74
Grave liners on hand	175.00
Resale of lot	50.00
Invested funds interest	600.00
Town appropriation	1,800.00
Sale of lots	135.00
Use of equipment	75.00
Care of lots	46.00
Sale of grave liners	162.00
Butterfield fund	25.16
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	\$3,078.36

Expenses

Grave liners purchased	\$183.30
Care of yards	2,128.34
Withholding tax	94.50
General expenses	428.71
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	2,834.85
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Cash on hand	\$243.51

Marshall French, Superintendent of Cemeteries

PERPETUAL CEMETERY FUNDS

1948

Dorothy Macey	\$25.00
Elizabeth Hutchins	25.00
Everett Merrill	50.00
Roland A. Barnard	40.00
Herbert Johnston	50.00
Griffith Mitchell	50.00
Belle Whipple Estate	50.00
Mrs. Louise Baker	50.00
Alson C. Emery	300.00
Mrs. Wm. B. Huggins	50.00
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	\$690.00

LOUIS R. GREGG,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

HELD MARCH 13TH, 1948

Meeting called to order by Moderator William F. Parker.

Voted to adjourn this meeting to the Goffstown Town Hall at 2:15 in the afternoon of March 13, 1948.

Meeting called to order at 2:15 in the P.M. Warrant was read by Moderator.

Article 1. William F. Parker was elected Moderator and took Oath of office.

Article 2. Carl B. Pattee was elected Clerk and took Oath of office.

Article 3. Albert J. Lamothe was elected a member of the School Board for three years.

Article 4. Marjorie L. Corning was elected Treasurer.

Article 5. As all salaries are included in the Budget it was voted to dismiss this article.

Article 6. Voted to accept the reports of officers as printed in the Town Report.

Article 7. Voted that the Town Auditors serve as School Auditors.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$62,848.00 for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

Article 9. Voted to allow the School Board to sell the Shirley Hill School House property by such means as the Board deems advisable.

Article 10. Motion was made that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,000.00 in addition to the amount provided at the School District meetings of 1946 and 1947 to complete the construction of equipment of the proposed addition to the High School, and in order to furnish such funds, to authorize the School Board to issue bonds and notes, maturing not longer than twenty (20) years from date of issue, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Bond Act, New Hampshire Revised Laws 1942, Chapter 72.

After some discussion on the article, motion was made that the article be tabled. Paper ballot was taken, 184 voting No, 131 voting Yes. The motion was lost.

The original article was now voted on by paper ballot. 182 voting Yes, and 138 voting No. As 182 was less than the two-thirds required by law, this motion was lost.

Motion was made that we take another vote on Article 10. Motion was lost due to motion not being seconded.

Article 11. Voted that this article be laid on the table.

Article 12. Voted that this article be laid on the table.

Article 13. Voted that this article be laid on the table.

Article 14. Voted that this article be laid on the table.

Article 15. Voted that this article be laid on the table.

Article 16. Motion was made to adjourn. This motion was withdrawn. Motion was made that a Committee be appointed to make a study of our education system and report at the next Annual Meeting. Not seconded.

Voted that a committee of six members to consist of the members of the School Board, namely, William Eaton, Albert Lamothe and Ruth Luscombe, and three citizens, namely, Wilfred Perrault, Harry S. Parker and Dallas Prugh and a seventh member of said committee to be elected by a majority vote of the preceding six members, said seventh member not to be a resident of Goffstown, be appointed; and said committee be directed to investigate the needs and requirements of building facilities for schools in the Town of Goffstown, for the present and the future; investigate and examine all proposed plans for the same; draft a report analyzing the needs and requirements of school buildings in Goffstown and all proposed plans and any plans hereafter brought to the attention of the committee; analyze the cost of the prospective programs and publish said report by posting a copy thereof at the Town Hall at least five days before April 17th, 1948, and that this meeting be adjourned to a meeting to be held April 17th, 1948 at two o'clock in the afternoon at the Goffstown Town Hall.

As this vote was in the affirmative the meeting stood adjourned until April 17th, 1948 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

CARL B. PATTEE,
Clerk

A true copy of record—Attest: Carl B. Pattee, Clerk.

Goffstown, N. H., April 17th, 1948

The adjourned meeting of the Goffstown School District held in the Town Hall.

The meeting called to order by Moderator William F. Parker at 2:05 o'clock P.M.

Motion that was made by Mr. Tribble at the previous session was read by the Moderator, and he called on Mr. Harry S. Parker, Chairman of the Committee, for a report. Mr. Parker asked that a privilege be granted Mr. Parkinson, the seventh member of the Committee, to speak at this time.

It was voted that Mr. Parkinson be allowed this privilege and he gave some very interesting remarks regarding school problems and buildings.

Chairman Harry S. Parker now gave a report for the Committee including their recommendations. He also moved that we reconsider Article 10 and put Article 10 to another vote. Mr. Parker withdrew his motion to give preference to the following motion presented by Mr. A. K. Hambleton.

Motion that the report of the joint Committee be accepted and placed on file, that the Committee be dismissed and that we show our appreciation for their labors by giving them a rising vote of thanks. Vote in the affirmative.

Mr. Parker's motion was then presented, acted upon and the vote was in the affirmative. Ballot was by Yes and No written Ballot. Total votes cast 371. Yes 250 No. 121, and Article 10 was taken from the table to be reconsidered.

Mr. Tribble spoke regarding this Article and explained that due to legal technicalities as to Bond Issues, he would present three motions for consideration, which if acted favorable on, would clear up any articles acted upon at any future meetings that possibly did not conform to the law and in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Bond Act, New Hampshire Revised Laws 1942, Chapter 72.

Motion 1. I move that the District borrow by the issuance of serial bonds or notes in accordance with Chapter 72 of the New Hampshire Revised Laws of 1942, as

amended, the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-Four Thousand Dollars (\$174,000.00), said sum to include the sum of \$84,000.00 which was voted at the Annual School Meeting of 1946, and the sum of \$50,000.00 voted at the Annual School Meeting of 1947, for the purpose of construction and equipment of an addition to the present High School, and that the School Board be authorized to determine the time and place of payment and rate of interest on such bonds or notes in accordance with law.

Vote was taken by written ballot.

Total votes cast 383. Yes 284 No 99.

284 being more than a two-thirds vote of the total votes cast, the vote was declared in the affirmative.

Motion 2. I move that the District appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-Four Thousand Dollars (\$174,000.00), said sum to include the \$84,000.00 which was voted at the Annual School Meeting of 1946, and the sum of \$50,000.00 voted at the Annual Meeting of 1947, for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the present High School, to be expended under the supervision and direction of the School Board.

Vote was taken by written ballot.

Total votes cast 357. Yes 246 No 111.

246 being more than a two-thirds of the total ballots cast the vote was declared in the affirmative.

Motion 3. Resolved that the School Board be authorized to proceed with the construction and equipment of an addition to the present High School and that such authority include powers to approve plans, elect materials and equipment, and enter into all contracts necessary or incidental to the accomplishment of the purpose of this resolution.

Vote was in the affirmative.

A rising vote of thanks was given Mr. Lewis Foote, Supt. of Schools, for his time and work given the Committee during their investigating and hearings.

There being no further business it was voted the meeting adjourn.

CARL B. PATTEE,
Clerk.

A true copy—Attest: Carl B. Pattee, Clerk.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Goffstown qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the High School in said district on the 12th day of March 1949, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate to erect a new fence on the north boundary of the village school property.

10. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for school equipment.

11. To see what authorization the district desires to delegate to the School Board relative to the White Building.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Goffstown this 14th day of February, 1949.

WILLIAM R. EATON,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WILLIAM R. EATON,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
School Board.

RECORD OF PAYMENTS CONTRACTOR AND ARCHITECT

(as of Jan. 20, 1949)

Fiscal Year 1947-48

Date of Payment	New Project	Improvements to Original Bldg.	Total
6/11/48	\$27,010.90	\$980.00	\$27,990.90
6/23/48	3,023.00		3,023.00

Total Fiscal

Year 47-48 ..	\$30,033.90	\$980.00	\$31,013.90
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Fiscal Year 1948-49

7/1/48	\$1,500.00		\$1,500.00
7/20/48	15,715.00	\$570.00	16,285.00
8/18/48	25,675.34	931.00	26,606.34
9/15/48	1,277.00		1,277.00
9/22/48	17,646.00	640.00	18,286.00
10/20/48		575.00	575.00
11/1/48	7,601.80	275.00	7,876.80
11/17/48	11,822.80	428.00	12,250.80
12/15/48	18,925.10	664.00	19,589.10
1/20/49	10,127.66	324.00	10,451.66

Total Fiscal

Year 48-49

to date	\$110,290.70	\$4,407.00	\$114,697.70
Paid to date ..	\$140,324.60	\$5,387.00	\$145,711.60

Balance Due:

On Contracts	\$34,683.68	\$691.00	\$35,374.68
Extras	35.00	265.00	300.00
Total Due	\$34,718.68	\$956.00	\$35,674.68

Grand Total

Paid & Due	\$175,043.28	\$6,343.00	\$181,386.28
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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of Goffstown:

I hereby submit my annual report as superintendent of the Goffstown Schools.

Enrollment

The school year 1948-49 opened with an increase of approximately 10% over the total enrollment figures for the previous year. The increase necessitated the operation of an additional room in the village, making a total of five rooms covering grades 1 through 6. Grades 1, 2, and 6 were operated as units and grades 3, 4 and 5 set up as two groups. The pre-school census figures of October 1948 would indicate that five rooms covering six grades would handle the number of pupils anticipated next fall.

At the Grasmere School the enrollment also increased about 10%, giving us a total of 91 youngsters in the three rooms. At the present time, due to the arrangement of rooms, Grasmere School is operating at capacity and any further increase will call for certain adjustments.

There has been no significant change in the number of pupils at the Bartlett School, and the same is true of the High School enrollment.

Teaching Staff

The additional elementary room mentioned above necessitated another teacher, and Ethel T. Vittum, a critic teacher at Plymouth Teachers College, was secured for the position. There were no other changes or additions to the elementary staff.

The high school staff required three replacements. Ralph Worthington (Social Studies), Phyllis Yeaton (Commerce), and Thelma Batchelder (Home Economics) resigned as of June 1948. Henry Vittum (a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College), Phyllis Plumpton (who had previously taught at Green Mountain Junior College) and Alberta Johnson (a graduate of Keene Teachers College and with previous experience at Weare) were engaged to fill the vacancies.

Building Project

As a matter of record, I should like to review the action taken at the annual school meeting of 1948, and also to submit a progress report as to the developments since that meeting.

The annual school meeting, as the result of the report of a committee elected to investigate the recommendations of the school board, voted to proceed with an addition to the high school building. The district further voted to raise and appropriate through the sale of bonds, the sum of \$174,000. Bonds were sold as a result of sealed, solicited bids, several of which were received, and the bonds awarded to the highest bidder at the rate of 2.25% interest and dated May 1, 1948.

The contract (dated May 1, 1948) for the construction of the addition was awarded to the Leon Keyser Company of Manchester for \$158,497 covering the addition, followed by a second contract for \$10,226 on alterations to the wing of the original building and construction of the toilet section, both contracts amounting to \$168,723. To date, certain change orders totalling \$4,463 have been approved by the school board. (Elsewhere in this report is listed the payments to date on the entire project,—alterations and addition).

Prior to the regular district meeting, bids from several contractors were received, such bids having been subject to acceptance before March 30. During the period prior

to the April 17th meeting, several of the sub-bids were withdrawn and the projects involved refigured. The total cost was, therefore, slightly higher than anticipated at the earlier date. Various sources of unexpected income plus the income from the sale of the bonds is expected to carry the entire cost of construction and require no further appropriation of funds by the district.

Ground was broken for the addition on April 28, 1948, some ten days following approval by the district at the April 17th meeting. The School Board was immediately faced with the disposition of the house on Parker Street. Attempts were made to sell the property and to have the new owner move the building, and bids were also solicited to dismantle said building. After due consideration, the board decided to purchase a lot of land on Spring Street and have the house moved to the new location, the entire operation costing \$3,700. It was the opinion of the Board that even though considerable cost was involved, the value of the relocated house exceeded by several thousand dollars the revenue obtainable by any other plan. Since it was the feeling of the board, as well as of other persons consulted, that such a plan was to the best interest of the district, the moving of the house was undertaken.

The actual construction of the high school addition has proceeded on schedule with one exception. Late in July, 1948 the board was informed that the 30" I-beams called for in the specifications would not be delivered before December 30, and actual delivery could not be determined or guaranteed. The board felt that every effort should be made to close in the building before the winter months, and agreed to have trusses substituted for the I-beams. The designing and fabrication of the trusses retarded phases of the project for approximately two months.

At the present writing the major part of the construction has been completed and the project is now in its final stages. Partial use of the auditorium was granted by the contractor in the middle of January, and it is hoped that

complete occupancy can be realized late in February, at which time we hope to have all grades and classes now being provided for in the White Building accommodated in the new addition.

In Conclusion

Although the high school addition is virtually completed, there remain problems of adaptation, in order that we may utilize our facilities to the best interest of the school and community. A school lunch program and physical education—health activities are two aspects which should be operative during the coming school year.

Many of us are concerned with the lack of out-of-school activities for our young people. Communities such as ours are faced with the problem of providing a well-planned and adequately directed youth program. Although several types of programs are possible, the success of any such program is dependent upon the leadership. To meet a problem such as ours, it is conceivable that a properly qualified person should be employed by the school district to organize and direct an activity program during the hours when the schools are not in session, as well as during the vacation periods.

In conclusion I should like to express my gratitude to all of you who have manifested a constructive interest in the problems of our school and community. Although we may not all share the same opinions as to the best methods to accomplish our ends, we should all continue to critically analyze together the needs of the youngsters of our community, and to do all in our power to provide for those needs.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS F. FOOTE,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 5, 1949

ENROLLMENT STATISTICS—1947-48

SCHOOL	GRADES	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent Attendance	Tardiness
High	9-12	113	102.35	98.07	95.82	1.22
Jr. High	7-8	37	34.95	33.36	95.45	1.83
White	6	30	26.23	25.10	95.69	4.08
White	4-5	45	40.12	37.45	93.34	2.07
White	2-3	53	46.21	43.26	93.61	2.73
White	1	38	33.84	31.09	91.87	6.32
Bartlett	1-4	18	15.36	13.88	90.36	.91
Bartlett	5-8	32	27.43	25.68	93.62	.84
Grasmere	1-3	45	34.10	31.62	92.73	.32
Grasmere	4-6	35	30.22	27.77	91.89	.05
Grasmere	7-8	22	20.56	19.46	94.65	.23
TOTALS		468	411.37	386.74	94.01	1.91

TOTAL ENROLLMENT 1944-1949

SCHOOL	GRADES	1944-45	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49
High	9-12	133	114	110	107	114
Jr. High	7-8	34	36	34	43	49
Total High	7-12	167	150	144	150	163
White	..	..	..	(6) 24	18	24
White	5-6	36	47	(4-5) 29	42	33
White	34	39	39	(2-3) 31	50	(3-4) 35
White	1-2	43	46	(1-2) 32	(1) 35	(2) 36
						(1) 31
Total White	1-6	118	132	116	145	159
Bartlett	5-8	28	27	25	29	22
Bartlett	1-4	35	27	22	16	24
Total Bartlett	1-8	63	54	47	45	46
Grasmere	6-8	28	20	21	(7-8) 19	23
Grasmere	4-5	25	22	24	(4-6) 29	32
Grasmere	1-3	32	30	34	33	36
Total						
Grasmere	1-8	85	72	79	81	91
Shirley Hill	1-6	23	27	24	..	..
GRAND TOTAL	1-12	456	435	410	421	459

TEACHING STAFF—1948-1949

High School

Robert D. Bailey	Headmaster
Robert Bissell	Manual Arts
Frank W. Brown	Mathematics-Science
Mary P. Brown	English
Alberta Johnson	Home Economics
Phyllis Plumptre	Commerce
Helen H. Scott	Junior High
Henry Vittum	Social Studies
Marion Zeller	Languages

Elementary Schools

Nellie T. Tillotson	White, Grade 1
Ethel Vittum	White, Grade 2
Helen Gutterson	White, Grades 3-4
Kate A. Brooks	White, Grades 4-5
Elizabeth Purington	White, Grade 6
Mary McElroy	Bartlett, Grades 1-4
Albert Waters	Bartlett, Grades 5-8
Ida Lake	Grasmere, Grades 1-3
Marjory Frink	Grasmere, Grades 4-6
Joseph Merrill	Grasmere, Grades 7-8

Supervisors

Katherine Bartlett	Music
Bertram Colter	Music
Edith G. Walker	Nurse

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Uncorrected physical defects or conditions affecting a child's health may be responsible for his failure to make expected progress in his school work. As the school is vitally interested in the health of your child, we endeavor at the time of the fall examination to notify you of any defects noted which appear to require further attention and recommend that you consult your family physician or dentist for a more complete examination and advice.

Frequent use of the Manchester clinics affords an opportunity for early diagnosis, treatment, and correction. Nearly every pupil in this union has had the Patch test. Children showing a positive reaction are referred to the tubercular clinic in Manchester for special chest examination and chest X-rays. Many first graders, before entering school in the fall, have been immunized against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus.

Periodic examinations of the eyes and correction of defects should, and do receive special consideration. This test is given with the aid of the Massachusetts Vision Test recently purchased by the Supervisory Union.

Second only in importance to sight, hearing is vital to our safety, happiness and success in life. The person with ears that do not hear is dreadfully handicapped. Tests were given last spring with the new Maico audiometer also purchased by the Supervisory Union. This instrument determines the hearing efficiency of each pupil and will be given annually. Both of these instruments are electrically operated.

About 450 pupils were examined in the fall of 1947, the beginning of the school year, by the school physician, Dr. Reiner. The following report shows the number of children affected and the number of defects corrected:

Defective vision	45	defects corrected	38
Defective teeth	260	defects corrected	140
Diseased tonsils	28	defects corrected	12

There were nine appendectomy cases and two pneumonia cases.

Two children had chest X-rays at the tubercular clinic.

One child had a fractured leg.

Two were under treatment at the Children's Hospital in Boston.

One child was examined at the Hanover Eye Clinic.

Fifty-eight children had the Patch test during the school year.

EDITH G. WALKER,
School Nurse

REPORT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

The State Department of Health held a well baby and pre-school clinic on the first and third Friday of each month from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Bartlett School.

Clinic Physicians:

Dr. J. W. Eaton—Goffstown, N. H.

Dr. P. Colakathis—Manchester, N. H.

Total attendance	591
Total examinations	365
Infants	219
Preschool	146

Injections Given:

Combination (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping Cough) (3 injections)	69
Whooping Cough (3 injections)	7
Diphtheria and Tetanus (2 injections)	8
Tetanus (2 injections)	3
Vaccinations (Small Pox)	52

Community Committee Assisting:

Mrs. A. Levesque, Historian—Goffstown, N. H.

Mrs. G. Chapman, R.N.—Grasmere, N. H.

Mrs. W. Perrault, Transportation—Goffstown, N. H.

Miss E. Walker, R.N.—School Nurse

Mr. O. Rajotte, Janitor, Goffstown, N. H.

CLARE A. HAMILTON, R.N.,

Public Health Nurse.

State Department of Health

FINANCIAL REPORT

GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year July 1, 1947 to June 30, 1948

Receipts

State Aid	\$11,342.24
Income from Local Taxation	51,624.43
Sources Other Than Taxation:	
Elementary school tuitions ..	\$154.40
Secondary school tuitions ..	704.39
Sale of Property	1,080.00
Money borrowed	174,000.00
Other receipts	1,514.91
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	177,453.70
Total Receipts—All Sources	\$240,420.37
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1947	1,060.08
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Grand Total	\$241,480.45

Payments

Administration:

Salaries of district officers ..	\$104.00
Superintendent's excess salary	1,240.00
Tax for state wide supervision	858.00
Expenses of Administration .	1,237.66
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	\$3,439.66

Instruction:

Principals' and Teachers' salaries	\$35,195.85
Text books	974.31
Scholars' supplies	1,772.52
Other expenses of instruction	1,192.45

39,135.13

Operation and Maintenance of
School Plant:

Janitor service	\$3,215.77
Fuel	3,183.29
Water, lights, Janitor supplies	1,258.48
Repairs and replacements ...	3,972.50

11,630.04

Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision	\$910.49
Transportation of pupils	5,372.00
High School tuition	80.00

6,362.49

Fixed Charges:

Insurance	\$1,048.37
State Retirement and other ..	1,144.11

2,192.48

Capital Outlay:

Lands and new buildings	\$700.00
Addition to buildings	31,013.90
Improvements to buildings ..	2,331.84
New equipment	1,532.09

35,577.83

Total Payments for All Purposes	\$98,337.63
Cash on Hand, June 30, 1948	143,142.82
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Grand Total	\$241,480.45

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1948

Cash on Hand:	
Balance June 30, 1948	\$143,142.82
Accounts Due to District:	
From State	181.50
From Town or City	9,806.80
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	\$153,131.12
Excess Liabilities over Assets	172,286.53
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Total Assets	\$325,417.65

Liabilities

District Officers' Salaries	\$174.00
Teachers' salaries (July and August)	2,060.55
Keyser Construction Co.	140,506.10
Jean Lariviere	1,500.00
Hersey & Phaneuf	7,177.00
Bonds Outstanding	174,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$325,417.65

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

LEWIS F. FOOTE,
Superintendent of Schools

WILLIAM R. EATON,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
School Board.

July 8, 1948

REPORT OF TREASURER

GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1948

Cash on hand, June 30, 1947	\$1,060.08
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year	\$51,624.43
Received from State Treasurer .	11,342.24
Money borrowed	174,000.00
Accrued Int. and Premium ..	525.05
Received from all other sources	2,928.65
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Total amount available for fiscal year ..	\$241,480.45
Less School Board orders paid	98,337.63
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Balance on hand, June 30, 1948	\$143,142.82
MARJORIE L. CORNING,	
<i>District Treasurer.</i>	

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Goffstown of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

BENJAMIN F. GREER,
HARRY F. COLBURN,
FRANK W. BARTLETT,
Auditors.

July 8, 1948

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1949-1950

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GOFFSTOWN

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

	High Elementary	
Support of Schools:	Schools	Schools
Teachers' Salaries	\$24,400	\$27,800
Text Books	500	800
Scholars' Supplies	800	800
Other Expenses of Instruction	400	300
Janitor Service	2,000	2,700
Fuel	1,200	1,800
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	700	700
Minor Repairs and Expenses ..	500	800
Health Supervision (Med. Insp.)	525	975
Transportation of Pupils		5,500
Other Special Activities	300	200
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	\$31,325	\$42,375 \$73,700

Other Statutory Requirements (Est.):

Salaries of District Officers	\$275
Truant Officer and School Census	200
Superintendent's Salary	1,600
Per Capita Tax	912
Payment of District Debt	9,000
Interest on District Debt	3,712
Retirement (Teachers and Supt.)	2,100
Administrative Expenses	850
Insurance	1,500

20,149

Total Amount Required to Meet School	
Board's Budget	\$93,849

Estimated Income of District

State Aid (December 1949 Allotment) ..	\$10,000
Federal Aid (June 1950 Allotment)	180
Dog Tax	600
High School Tuition Receipts	200
Elementary School Tuition Receipts ..	180

Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised by Taxation)	11,160
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Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget	\$82,689
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Vital Statistics

Births Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Birth	Name of the Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1947					
Dec. 16	Violette Rita Paudrette	Armand A. Paudrette	Rita D. Simoneau	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Dec. 18	Wayne Sampson King	Hilton E. Gale	Narcissa Goodsell	Proctor, Vt.	Alburgh, N. H.
Dec. 18	Reginald Charles Philbrick	Sampson A. King	Gladys M. Rood	Pumpkin, N. J.	Wilton, N. H.
Dec. 23	Lestlie Heather Parker	Charles H. Philbrick	Kathryn Hollis	So. Weare, N. H.	No. Weare, N. H.
Dec. 24	Dean Bradley Tirrell	Charles S. Parker	Kathryn L. Connor	Manchester, N. H.	Henniker, N. H.
Dec. 28	Clifford James Carter	Charles E. Tirrell	Rachel A. Bachelier	Manchester, N. H.	Alexandria, N. H.
Dec. 29		Harvey C. Carter	Doris T. Tarr	Darien Center, N. Y.	Grasmere, N. H.
1948					
Jan. 8	Diana Patricia Lafond	George G. Lafond	Joan C. Tergeson	Weare, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Jan. 21	Donna Lee Hall	Robert T. Hall	Virginia L. Connor	Lynn, Mass.	Henniker, N. H.
Jan. 22	Charlene Carolyn Marsh	Charles C. Marsh	Helen M. Cupples	Ashland, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Jan. 31	Carleen Ann Sandford	John R. Sandford	Adele J. Dubois	Canada	Manchester, N. H.
Feb. 4	Mary Elizabeth Carr	George A. Carr	Nancy E. Rebenkian	Goffstown, N. H.	Ridgewood, N. J.
Feb. 7	Patrick Michael Hogan	Edward H. Hogan	Catherine Va Gillis	New York, N. Y.	Boston, Mass.
Feb. 11	Robert George Martin	Homer Martin	Anna A. Herkner	Canada	Manchester, N. H.
Feb. 15	George Philip Nault	James H. Nault	Dorothy E. Baker	Laconia, N. H.	Concord, N. H.
Feb. 27	Joseph Robert Chainey		Jisele F. Chainey		Manchester, N. H.
Mar. 3	Mary Bernadette Boucher	Edgar J. Boucher	Lillian E. Goss	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Mar. 17	Georgia Ann Sheldon	George H. Sheldon	Laura M. Senneville	Farmington, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Mar. 18	Herbert John Newman	Walter C. Newman	Marjorie E. Pearson	Manchester, N. H.	Cheshume, N. H.
Mar. 19	Phillip Gene Beique	Paul E. Beique	Eleanor R. Smith	New Bedford, Mass.	Goffstown, N. H.
Mar. 31	Infant Brown	Frank W. Brown	Lorraine F. Kirby	Whitefield, N. H.	Pottstown, Pa.
Mar. 31	Infant Brown	Frank W. Brown	Lorraine F. Kirby	Whitefield, N. H.	Pottstown, Pa.
Apr. 4	Barry Burns Hunter	Heman B. Hunter	Marian G. Hoyt	Bristol, Me.	Melrose, Mass.
Apr. 9	Muriel Elaine Desrochers	Andrew J. Desrochers	Lillian E. Charest	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 12	Carole Lynwood Noyes	Wayne L. Noyes	Eleanor S. Story	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Apr. 18	Daphne Brown	Ridgely S. Brown	Sophie Rowbotham	Melrose, Mass.	Cheshire, England
Apr. 20	Patricia Kay Forest	Edmond A. Forest	Irene Y. Rajotte	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 27	Roland Sylvie Bernatchez	Paul E. Bernatchez	Rita Gagnon	Canada	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 30	Theodore Allan Simpson	Theodore H. Simpson	Dorothy S. Lamy	Goffstown, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
May 4	Elise Cornelia Clapp	Theodore L. Clapp	Eleanor F. Young	No. Hampton, Mass.	Springfield, Mass.
May 18	Lillian Mary Currier	Richard S. Currier	Lillian A. Thiem	Georgetown, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
May 24	Phyllis Ann Horne	Donald R. Horne	Catherine E. Van Wy	Manchester, N. H.	Port Clinton, Ohio
May 27	Donald Lucien Sarette	Leonard A. Sarette	Fernande Call	So. Berwick, Me.	Manchester, N. H.
June 9	Edward Paul Hunter	Henry Y. Hunter	Gladys R. Bixby	Lexington, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
June 11	Kenneth John Adam	George H. Adam Jr.	Dorene E. Patton	Manchester, N. H.	Patonic M'n'r, W. Va.
June 18	Charles Edwin Hacking Jr.	Charles E. Hacking	Ruth E. Tessier	Pawtucket, R. I.	Pawtucket, R. I.
June 18	Cecile Janet Blais	Julian J. Blais	Jeannette Beaudoin	Goffstown, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
June 23	Diane Priscilla Bolton	Francis A. Bolton	Margaret Archibald	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.

July 8	Carl Owen Burns	Richard O. Burns	Edna P. Kilcollins	Gloucester, Mass.	Fairfield, Me.
July 13	Amv McIntosh Phinney	William L. Phinney	Margaret McIntosh	Racine, Wis.	Dover, N. H.
July 17	Ronald Alfred Duval	Joseph A. L. Duval	Marie R. Duhamel	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
July 20	Keith Owen Tribble	George D. Pinault	Lea A. Dugrenier	Manchester, N. H.	Dunbarton, N. H.
July 24	Nancy Jane Daniels	William D. Tribble	Annette H. Callan	Malden, Mass.	Malden, Mass.
Aug. 4	— Peaslee	Robert C. Daniels	Catherine T. Colburn	New Boston, N. H.	W. Rumney, N. H.
Aug. 27	Rita Theresa Hebert	Donald H. Peaslee	Thelma A. Clark	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 1	Mary Rhynell Hoffman	Ernest J. Hebert	Beatrice A. Sleeper	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 2	— Clark	Max N. Hoffman Sr.	Irene Y. Beaudoin	Manchester, Pa.	Reading, Pa.
Sept. 6	Jennifer Elizabeth Beasley	Charles R. Clark	Mary M. Benicoff	Newport, N. H.	New Haven, Conn.
Sept. 7	Barbara Mae Flanders	John E. Bensley Jr.	Mary C. Carigan	Warner, N. H.	Goshen, N. H.
Sept. 8	Deborah Ann Graham	Ernest E. Flanders	Corra A. Roberts	Consett, England	Goffstown, N. H.
Sept. 14	— Tirrell	John F. Graham	Thelma M. Rogers	Chicago, Ill.	Wakefield, Mass.
Sept. 20	Thomas Cooper Rhines Jr.	Thomas C. Rhines	Gertrude Tirrell	Chicago, Ill.	Chicago, Ill.
Sept. 27	Geraldine Tenney Simpson	Gerald A. Simpson	Betty J. Barr	Goffstown, N. H.	Newport, N. H.
Sept. 28	Armand Ernest Beaudet	Ludger L. Beaudet	Gayle H. Tenney	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Sept. 29	Thomas Clapp	Gilbert T. Clapp	Bernadette S. Charest	Weymouth, Mass.	Farmington, Mass.
Oct. 1	Paul Adrien Caron	Paul L. Caron	Mary Bennett	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 12	Carl Watson Rausch	Robert G. Rausch	Yvette Alexina	Manchester, N. H.	Sanford, Me.
Oct. 19	Jean Alice Wallace	Joseph A. Wallace	Carlene E. Watson	Tina, Mo.	New Boston, N. H.
Oct. 22	Joyce Louise Dodge	Francis W. Dodge	Hazel M. Colburn	Nashua, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 23	Harold Calvin Masse	Eugene W. Masse	Martha M. Baker	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Oct. 28	Patricia Ann Hall	Winston A. Hall	Gladys R. Phelps	Goffstown, N. H.	Medford, Mass.
Oct. 29	Ingrid Ann Luscombe	Richard B. Luscombe	Jeannette L. Hardy	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 30	Doris Ann Sprague	William B. Sprague	Faunce R. Yngve	Boston, Mass.	Canada
Oct. 31	Claudette M. L. Lesmerises	Robert J. Lesmerises	Barbara P. Eaton	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Nov. 6	Helen Theresa Desrochers	Francis J. Desrochers	Jeannette M. Veillon	Manchester, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Nov. 6	Sandra Ruth Lanoie	Paul A. Lanoie	Regina M. Charest	Manchester, N. H.	Grasmere, N. H.
Nov. 8	Diana Alice Hannaford	John C. Hannaford	Virginia E. Spencer	Hillsboro, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Nov. 12	Nancy Lee Sterling	Robert J. Sterling	Alma M. R. Barry	Pertland, Me.	Alton Bay, N. H.
Nov. 19	Peter Cartland Hebert	Clifford R. Martel	Eva A. Jones	Lowell, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.
Nov. 21	Jane Ellen Spurway	Henry J. Hebert	Helen V. Gove	Pertland, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
Nov. 22	James Caldwell Theos	Hubert R. Spurway	Hectorine Y. Bonneau	Goffstown, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Nov. 24	Richard Edward Barry	James Theos	Alma L. Kingsbury	Goffstown, N. H.	Minneapolis, Minn.
Nov. 24	Angela Karanikas	James E. Barry	Mabel M. Caldwell	Exeter, England	Bedford, N. H.
Dec. 17	Lorraine June Davis	Christie Karanikas	Alice B. Talbot	Malone, N. Y.	Epping, N. H.
Dec. 21	Barbara Florence Lafond	Lloyd A. Davis	Georgia Pappas	Goffstown, N. H.	Portsmouth, N. H.
Dec. 24	Diane Pauline Francoeur	Amos W. Lafond	June A. Hadley	Manchester, N. H.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Dec. 30		Robert G. Francoeur	Bertha K. Nehring	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
			Yvette F. Tretthier	Manchester, N. H.	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Name of Father	By Whom Married
1947							
Mar. 15	Manchester, N. H.	James J. Quinn	Manchester	47		Thomas Quinn	B. Piper,
		Alice A. Caldwell	Goffstown	23		James Caldwell	Justice of the Peace
June 15	Bradford, N. H.	John M. Warren	Goffstown	23		John M. Warren	Arthur Wright,
		Agnes L. Pattison	Bradford	21		Arthur E. Pattison	Minister of the Gospel
July 26	Troy, N. H.	Richard F. Mace	Goffstown	45		R. A. P. Mace	John O. Prince,
		Merle E. Riddle	Francestown	41		Converse Thufant	Clergyman
Nov. 1	Goffstown, N. H.	Max Biegon	Saugus, Mass.	21		Carl Biegon	C. Leslie Curdlee,
		Vinnie Harris	Saugus, Mass.	21		Raymond Harris	Clergyman
Dec. 20	W. Hartford, Conn.	Ralph E. Tupper	Goffstown	38		Leonard Tupper	R. H. Potter,
		Marion J. Pomeroy	Goffstown	27		H. D. Pomeroy	Clergyman
Dec. 20	Newport, N. H.	Gerald A. Simpson	Goffstown	22		Harry A. Simpson	Mauris H. Porter,
		Gale H. Tenney	Newport	21		Howard H. Tenney	Methodist Clergyman
Dec. 27	Manchester, N. H.	Edward F. Doyon	Goffstown	23		Arthur Doyon	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest,
		Yvette M. A. Laplante	Manchester	18		Oliva Laplante	Roman Cath. Clergyman
Dec. 27	Manchester, N. H.	George A. Bourque	Goffstown	24		John Bourque	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest,
		Theresa L. La Rochelle	Manchester	21		J. Romeo La Rochelle	Roman Cath. Clergyman
1948					All White		
Jan. 10	Concord, N. H.	Myron L. Goodhue Jr.	Goffstown	22		Myron L. Goodhue	Rev. Ned B. McKenney,
		Beatrice E. Nutt	Dunbarton	22		Lyman H. Nutt	Minister
Jan. 11	New Boston, N. H.	David R. Miller	Goffstown	21		Leon Miller	Rev. E. Bradford Davis,
		Josephine Friedrich	New Boston	20		Henry Friedrich	Presbyterian Minister
Feb. 7	Manchester, N. H.	Albert G. Pollack	Manchester	23		Andrew Pollack	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
		Rachael M. Belanger	Goffstown	28		Aime Belanger	Roman Catholic Priest
Mar. 27	Manchester, N. H.	Richard B. Linscombe	Goffstown	23		Nathan H. Linscombe	Robert E. Fillingim,
		Eunice R. Yngve	Manchester	24		Paul H. Yngve	Clergyman
Mar. 30	Goffstown, N. H.	Paul A. Lanoie	Goffstown	18		Philip A. Lanoie	Rev. Rene A. Constant,
		Virginia Spencer	Grasmere	17		Alfred Lavoie	Roman Catholic Priest
April 3	Manchester, N. H.	Lucien C. Lavalle	Manchester	23		Ernest Demers	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
		Lorraine F. Demers	Goffstown	18		Lawrence Riggs	Roman Catholic Priest
April 3	Manchester, N. H.	Robert M. Riggs	Grasmere	24		Oscar Huard	Rev. Sylvio Beaudet,
		Priscilla A. Huard	Manchester	19		Donat Tellier	Roman Catholic Clergyman
April 10	Manchester, N. H.	Norman B. Tellier	Grasmere	21		Unknown	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
		Lorette M. Emond	Goffstown	19		Frank Ackerman	Roman Catholic Priest
April 10	Manchester, N. H.	James P. Ackerman	Goffstown	22		Levi Moore	Rev. Wm. S. Holiday,
		Priscilla J. Moore	Manchester	19			Clergyman

April 10	Manchester, N. H.	William H. Trott	Goffstown	21	Charles H. Trott	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
April 22	Manchester, N. H.	Joyce L. Lefebvre	Manchester	17	W. Romeo Lefebvre	Roman Catholic Priest
April 24	Manchester, N. H.	Paul E. Bedard	Goffstown	20	Joseph Bedard	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
April 24	Manchester, N. H.	Doris M. Auger	Goffstown	19	Lorenzo Auger	Roman Catholic Priest
April 24	Manchester, N. H.	Henry Barry	Manchester	49	Zeb Barry	Rev. J. Vaccarest,
April 24	Manchester, N. H.	Anita Doucette	Goffstown	32	Luc Doucette	Roman Catholic Priest
April 26	Manchester, N. H.	Gerald E. Fontaine	Goffstown	25	Elphage Fontaine	Thomas S. Hansberry,
April 26	Manchester, N. H.	Anne H. Antanaitis	Manchester	19	Stanley Antanaitis	Roman Catholic Priest
May 1	Goffstown, N. H.	Sidney R. Vinton	Ch'n't Hill, Mass.	47	Sidney A. Vinton	George A. Carr,
May 1	Manchester, N. H.	Helen R. Gentile	Ch'n't Hill, Mass.	43	Loretto Gentile	Justice of the Peace
May 8	Manchester, N. H.	Jean P. Goudreau	Goffstown	19	Rossaire Goudreau	Napoleon J. Gilbert,
May 8	Manchester, N. H.	Lillian S. Boisvert	Manchester	18	Albert J. Boisvert	Catholic Clergyman
May 28	Manchester, N. H.	Gardner W. Brown	Goffstown	26	John W. Brown	J. Wayne Haskell,
June 5	Goffstown, N. H.	Andrew Batterson	Milford	21	Lawrence Batterson	Clergyman
June 5	Goffstown, N. H.	Howard L. Mudge	Goffstown	27	Lester Mudge	Rev. Austin H. Reed,
June 5	Goffstown, N. H.	Sally J. Batchelder	Goffstown	19	Victor B. Batchelder	Clergyman
June 5	Goffstown, N. H.	Scott Edward Durland	Grasmere	38	Normand L. Durland	Edward A. Durham,
June 5	Goffstown, N. H.	Annie Mabel Aiken	Grasmere	29	Clarence A. Aiken	Minister of the Gospel
June 14	Rutland, Vt.	Francis Xavier Pare	Grasmere	24	Gerard Pare	Rene A. Constant,
June 14	Rutland, Vt.	Jeanne E. Plourde	Goffstown	18	Henry Plourde	Roman Catholic Priest
June 17	Manchester, N. H.	Paul S. Ackerman	Goffstown	—	Frank Ackerman	Rev. Michael A. Demase,
June 17	Manchester, N. H.	Patricia M. Battles	Rutland, Vt.	—	Thomas J. Battles	Roman Catholic Priest
June 19	Manchester, N. H.	Marcel A. Rousseau	Goffstown	21	Napoleon Rousseau	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest,
June 19	Manchester, N. H.	Janet Hebert	Goffstown	18	Edmond Hebert	Roman Catholic Priest
June 20	Goffstown, N. H.	Leo P. St. Arnault	Sh'w'n Fall, C'n.	24	Fortunate St. Arnault	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest,
June 20	Goffstown, N. H.	Helen Hebert	Goffstown	23	Edmond Hebert	Roman Catholic Priest
June 26	Manchester, N. H.	Maurice F. Chandler	Peasach, Vt.	24	John G. Chandler	Edward A. Durham,
June 26	Manchester, N. H.	Ruth H. Bartlett	Goffstown	25	Paul F. Ellingwood	Minister of the Gospel
June 27	Dunbarton, N. H.	Donald C. Ellingwood	Manchester	25	Anfrans Dennis	Rev. Alan R. Gibbons,
July 3	Hooksett, N. H.	Amelia M. Dennis	Goffstown	27	Pierson Curtis	Roman Catholic Priest
July 3	Hooksett, N. H.	Hunington W. Curtis	Bailey Is., Me.	38	Harvey S. Parker	Theodore L. Clapp,
July 15	Weare, N. H.	Margaret P. Parker	Goffstown	42	Under Roy	Clergyman
July 15	Manchester, N. H.	Alice M. Laroche	Hooksett	51	Normadis Laroche	Rev. Wilfred A. Chartier,
July 17	Manchester, N. H.	Fred H. Brown	Goffstown	42	W. A. Brown	Roman Catholic Priest
July 17	Manchester, N. H.	Edith R. Ponding	Canada	26	John T. Ponding	Wilbur W. Kamp,
July 19	Manchester, N. H.	Frederick T. Hitchfield	Manchester	22	Fred Hitchfield	Clergyman
Aug. 14	Manchester, N. H.	Mariorie A. Catlow	Grasmere	51	John Filteau	Rev. Mallard L. Nelson,
Aug. 14	Manchester, N. H.	Joseph Filteau	Grasmere	51	Omer Pelletier	Lutheran Clergyman
Aug. 14	Manchester, N. H.	Marie J. B. Dugas	Rochester	24	Andrew B. Thompson	Justice of the Peace
Aug. 14	Manchester, N. H.	Theresa E. Lussier	Goffstown	22	Emery Lussier	Rev. Timothy Pelletier,

All White

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Name of Father	By Whom Married
Aug. 22	Goffstown, N. H.	Hedley G. Pingree .. Marilyn L. Warren ..	Great Neck, N. Y. Goffstown	23 23	All White	Robert Pingree John M. Warren	Austin H. Reed, Clergyman
Aug. 29	Goffstown, N. H.	George Harradon Eunice M. Gilman	Goffstown	38 24		Harry Harradon Percy Gilman	Austin H. Reed, Clergyman
Sept. 6	Manchester, N. H.	Alfred J. Levesque Jr. Beatrice C. Fontaine ..	Manchester	24 21		Alfred J. Levesque .. Ephraim Fontaine ..	Rev. J. Vaccaroese, Roman Catholic Priest
Sept. 11	Manchester, N. H.	Raoul Marcel Lavigne .. Doris C. Vaillancourt ..	Goffstown	22 21		Philip Lavigne	W. McCarthy, Justice of the Peace
Sept. 18	Manchester, N. H.	Paul C. Towle	Manchester	21		Napol'n Vaillancourt ..	Rev. Franklin P. Frye, Clergyman
Oct. 2	Grasmere, N. H.	Mildred L. Goodwin .. Frederic H. Heuss ..	Goffstown	22 23		William Goodwin William A. Heuss	Rev. Edward A. Durham, Minister of the Gospel
Oct. 9	Manchester, N. H.	Ruth E. Fellows Kenneth Alvan Hall ..	Grasmere	23 21		Blakeney Hall	J. G. Leclerc, Roman Catholic Church
Oct. 12	Manchester, N. H.	Cecile C. Leclerc	Goffstown	20		Lionel Leclerc	Napolcon J. Gilbert, Catholic Clergyman
Oct. 23	Goffstown, N. H.	Armand Archambault .. Jeanne M. Couture ..	Goffstown	30 23		Ernest Archambault .. Omer Couture	Theodore L. Clapp, Clergyman
Oct. 26	Manchester, N. H.	Robert C. Hills	Manchester	24		Arthur E. Hills	Rev. J. G. Vaccaroese, Catholic Priest
Nov. 7	Goffstown, N. H.	Jean F. Leavitt	Goffstown	21	All White	Philip Therrien Charles E. Garceau ..	Edward A. Durham, Minister of the Gospel
Nov. 11	Manchester, N. H.	Maurice A. Therrien .. Jacqueline R. Garceau ..	Manchester	33 21		Forrest Leavitt Philip Therrien	Rev. Lucien Dupont, Catholic Priest
Nov. 22	Goffstown, N. H.	Frederick E. Coon Jr. Georgianna M. Bolis ..	Goffstown	20 21		Charles E. Garceau .. Frederick E. Coon ..	George A. Carr, Justice of the Peace
Nov. 25	Goffstown, N. H.	Maurice W. Goudreau .. Bernadette D. Leroux ..	Grasmere	18 17		Everett Bolis	Rev. Alfred J. Constant, Catholic Clergyman
Dec. 4	Auburn, N. H.	Maurice W. Goudreau .. Robert LeComte	Grasmere	40 29		Rosaire Goudreau Edward Leroux	James E. Stackley, Justice of the Peace
		Lizette LaPerle	Manchester	21		Laurent LeComte Hector LaPerle	
		Simeon G. Lapointe ..	Goffstown	20		Alphonse Lapointe ..	
		Marcella C. Lapointe ..	Manchester	20		Frederick Lapointe ..	
		Francis W. Sturtevant ..	Grasmere	40		Albert S. Sturtevant ..	
		Rita M. Vachon	Manchester	29		Evangeliste Vachon ..	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief,
 ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, Town Clerk.



Deaths Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Death	Name of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Yrs.	Mos.	Days			
1947							
Dec. 31	Exilda M. Dion	85	9	2	Canada	Michael Comire	Alice Boisvert
Dec. 31	Frank J. Breton	49	2	27	Manchester, N. H.	Frank J. Breton	Alice Talbot
1948							
Jan. 12	Melbourne E. Hutchins	55	6	28	Minot, Me.	Franklin P. Hutchins	Emma Wakefield
Jan. 17	Sarah J. DeGrenier	80	4	19	St. Albans, Vt.	Narcis Sozar	Sarah Sozar
Jan. 17	Grace Ryder Lord	84	4	19	Bow, N. H.	Francis Cole	Pauline Wheeler
Feb. 14	Elmer French	86	11	16	Candia, N. H.	Joseph French	Anna L. Frye
Feb. 22	Edith May Bowler	57	9	2	Boston, Mass.	Thomas Smith	Emily M. Kelley
Mar. 22	Carrie Emma Hoit	77	5	8	Goffstown, N. H.	George H. Hoit	Ovila Bagley
Mar. 31	Infant Brown		Stillborn		Goffstown, N. H.	Frank W. Brown	Lorraine Kirby
Mar. 31	Infant Brown		Stillborn		Goffstown, N. H.	Frank W. Brown	Lorraine Kirby
April 3	Christie Brown	79	10	2	Nova Scotia	Matthew Talbot	C. Hollingsworth
April 29	Victoria Bellisle	77	—	—	Concord, N. H.	Gideon Bellisle	Verly Bienvenue
April 30	George Leon Eaton	81	0	12	Goffstown, N. H.	George M. Eaton	Mary M. Greer
May 12	Francis Jean Belanger	1	0	3	Goffstown, N. H.	George W. Belanger	Adeline B. Roukey
June 8	Lillian M. Currier	74	4	12	Goffstown, N. H.	Benjamin Harriman	Clara Gaines
June 14	George L'Esperance	39	9	12	Manchester, N. H.	Ismael L'Esperance	Lumina Tremblay
June 19	Noel L. Champagne	41	1	10	Franklin, N. H.	Philip Champagne	Mary Champagne
June 23	Angelina T. Weeks Hardy	82	9	11	Portsmouth, N. H.	Richard Turner	Martha Freeman
July 24	Hubert E. Merrill	72	2	19	New Brunswick	Percy E. Merrill	Addie Wyman
July 20	Ned Henry Roberts	81	8	29	Goffstown, N. H.	Thomas E. Smith	Gertrude
July 24	Napoleon Pinard	75	0	27	Canada	David G. Roberts	Lucretia J. Annis
July 26	Charles Edwin Phelps	80	11	17	Goffstown, N. H.	Francis Pinard	Alice Vincent
Aug. 22	Harry Walter Marden	83	5	20	New Boston, N. H.	Andrew J. Phelps	Almira Z. Pierce
Aug. 22	Amanda Talbot Constant	66	7	15	Canada	George Marden	Sarah E. Mansfield
Aug. 27	— Peaslee		Stillborn			Alphonse Talbot	Emelle Carignan
						Donald H. Peaslee	Thelma A. Clark

Sept. 6	Clark	67	Stillborn	1	.....	Charles R. Clark	Mary M. Benicoff
Sept. 25	Arthur Samuel Newton	68	7	10	Manchester, N. H.	Nathan G. Newton	Rebecca Hall
Oct. 11	Emma Gagnon Champagne	71	2	11	Manchester, N. H.	Francis X. Gagnon	Arthemis Helle
Oct. 11	Arthur Rivers	90	10	14	Canada	Joseph Rivers	Albina Fountin
Oct. 11	Caroline Ware Helzer	77	2	17	Boston, Mass.	George Lane	Elizabeth Ware
Oct. 11	Leocadie T. Bourbeau	83	8	23	New Brunswick	Etienne Tardif	Philomene Lizotte
Oct. 16	Alice J. Chase	80	0	—	Dunbarton, N. H.	Augustus Woodbury	Mary J. Davis
Oct. 16	Vasilios Efthemion	72	9	—	Greece	Timothy Efthemion	Annie
Oct. 17	Agnes G. Muir	76	7	23	Glasgow, Scotland	James Kelley	Elizabeth Bonyan
Nov. 7	Clara Benoit	65	9	11	Canada	Marier Grigoire	Danetile Deneault
Nov. 21	Maude Paige	42	5	18	Goffstown, N. H.	Frank Emerson	Mary Story
Nov. 29	Ludger Paquin	83	2	2	Manchester, N. H.	Adelard Paquin	Eugenie Rene
Dec. 2	Oliver McDougal	50	3	—	Bedford, N. H.	Edwin Dunlap	Mary Ingham
Dec. 8	Pearl Phillips	96	10	16	Nova Scotia	John Early	Sarah Wessell
Dec. 18	Annie M. Story	77	9	—	Goffstown, N. H.	Daniel B. Austin	Zebiah J. Christie
Dec. 20	Elsie B. Mace	45	4	14	Passaic, N. J.	Benjamin Oaks	Cornelia Price
Dec. 27	Odelion E. Denoncourt	45	9	2	E. Weare, N. H.	Eugene Denoncourt	Odelle Cyr

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, Town Clerk.

Record of Interments in West Lawn Cemetery, 1948

Name	Date of Death	Date of Burial	Late Residence	Age		
				Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Melbourne E. Hutchins	Jan. 12, 1948	Jan. 15, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	55	6	28
Sarah E. Carleton . . .	Feb. 16, 1948	Feb. 23, 1948	Manchester, N. H. . .	80	2	1
Edith M. Bowler . . .	Feb. 22, 1948	Feb. 24, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	57	9	2
Arthur G. Blaisdel . . .	Mar. 10, 1948	Mar. 12, 1948	Brooklyn, N. Y. . . .	67	10	11
Hattie J. Poore	Mar. 12, 1948	Mar. 15, 1948	Northfield, N. H. . .	75	6	5
Carrie E. Hoit	Mar. 22, 1948	Mar. 25, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	77	5	8
Georgette P. Mudgett .	Mar. 29, 1948	Mar. 31, 1948	Manchester, N. H. . .	85	11	4
Brown infants (twins)	Mar. 31, 1948	Mar. 31, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .			30 sec.
Christie Brown	April 2, 1948	April 6, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	79	10	2
Mary Rice	April 13, 1948	April 16, 1948	Weare, N. H.	58	1	3
George L. Eaton	April 30, 1948	May 3, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	81	0	12
Hubert E. Merrill* . . .	May	May 20, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	21	..	..
Lillian Melvin	May 2, 1948	May 5, 1948	Wayland, Mass. . . .	64	2	3
Lillian M. Currier . . .	June 8, 1948	June 10, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	74	4	12
Martha M. Christie . . .	June 12, 1948	June 15, 1948	New Boston	89	6	23
Grace E. Philbrick . . .	June 14, 1948	June 16, 1948	Milford	69	3	26
Noel Champagne	June 19, 1948	June 22, 1948	Goffstown	41	1	10
Minnie E. Beard	July 15, 1948	July 17, 1948	Groton, Mass.	69	2	11
Herbert Smith	July 24, 1948	July 27, 1948	Goffstown	72	2	19
Charles E. Phelps	July 26, 1948	July 28, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	80	11	17
Clark infant	Sept. 6, 1948	Sept. 9, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .		Stillborn	
Arthur S. Newton	Sept. 25, 1948	Sept. 30, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	67	7	1
Caroline Heizer	Oct. 11, 1948	Oct. 14, 1948	Boston, Mass.	90	2	14
Vasilios Efthemon . . .	Oct. 16, 1948	Oct. 18, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	80	9	0
Philbote infant	Oct. 22, 1948	Oct. 24, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .		Stillborn	
Helen V. Colby	Oct. 22, 1948	Oct. 25, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	90	3	9
Lewis Brooks	Oct. 28, 1948	Oct. 31, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	83	8	12
Maude Paige	Nov. 21, 1948	Nov. 24, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. . .	65	5	18

Olive McDougall	Dec.	2, 1948	Dec.	4, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. ..	83	3	0
Mary Z. Christie	Dec.	18, 1948	Dec.	21, 1948	New Boston	90	0	28
Annie M. Story	Dec.	18, 1948	Dec.	21, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. ..	96	0	8
Elsie B. Mace	Dec.	20, 1948	Dec.	23, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. ..	77	4	14

*Returned War Veteran

1948 Interments Hillside Cemetery, Grasmere

Name	Date of Death		Date of Internment		Late Residence	Age	
						Yrs.	Days
Elton C. Moore	Feb.	13, 1948	Feb.	18, 1948	Foxborough, Mass. ..	66	7
Lena Kimball	Feb.	29, 1948	Aug.	2, 1948	Jacksonville, Fla. ..	78	..
William Bailey	April	29, 1948	May	2, 1948	Manchester, N. H. ..	89	1
Edward P. Hoyt	July	18, 1948	July	19, 1948	Manchester, N. H. ..	57	5
Ned H. Roberts	July	20, 1948	July	23, 1948	Goffstown, N. H. ..	81	..
Etta M. Shaw	Sept.	1, 1948	Sept.	4, 1948	Lowell, Mass.	77	11
Alice C. Chase	Oct.	16, 1948	Oct.	19, 1948	Grasmere, N. H. ..	83	7
Agnes G. Muir	Oct.	17, 1948	Oct.	19, 1948	Manchester, N. H. ..	72	7
Sidney E. Woodson	Nov.	30, 1948	Dec.	3, 1948	Hooksett, N. H. ..	77	11
Pearl Phillips	Dec.	8, 1948	Dec.	11, 1948	Manchester, N. H. ..	50	10

MARSHALL FRENCH, *Superintendent.*

